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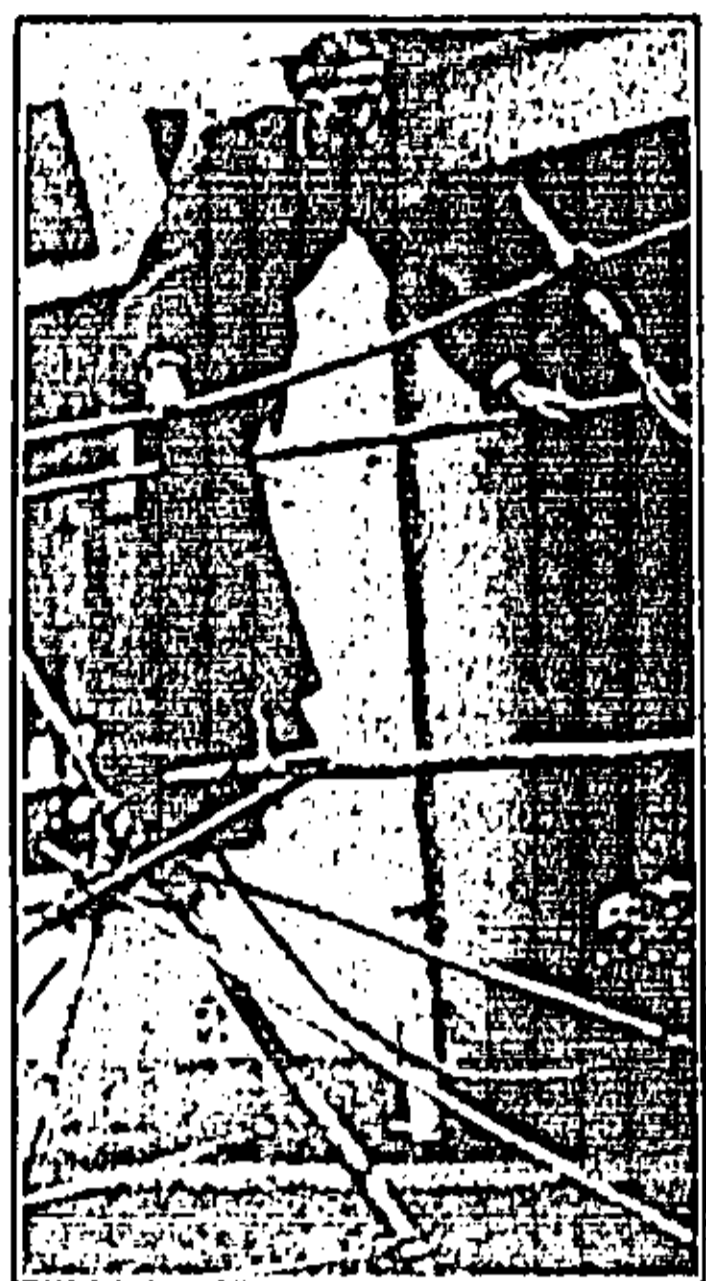
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CAMBRIDGE'S TWELFTH SUCCESSIVE WIN IN 'VARSITY BOAT RACE



Our unusual picture shows H. E. Major-General O. C. Borrett testing the bamboo bridge built by the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Coy. Scout Troop at Flagstaff House yesterday afternoon on the occasion of the presentation by Mrs. Borrett of the King's Colours to the Troop. (King's Studio).

ELECTIONS IN DANZIG

NAZI ACTIVITY AROUSES POLISH INDIGNATION

80 PER CENT. VOTE EXPECTED

GERMANY MAY CONFRONT LEAGUE WITH FAIT ACCOMPLI

London, Yesterday.

The Nazi electoral activity in Danzig, where they hope to secure in the election to-morrow a two-thirds majority in the National Assembly (which is needed to enable them to have the League Council's permission to alter the constitution), together with the speech given by General Goering in Danzig last Thursday, in which he declared that Danzig was German, has aroused considerable indignation in Polish political circles, says Reuter's Warsaw correspondent. It is described as savouring of annexationist aims.

The Polish Under-Secretary of State, in a speech yesterday, declared "As long as the Vistula continues to flow in the same direction as it does to-day, there will be no change in Danzig." — Reuter.

A message from Geneva states that League circles expect that at least 80 per cent. of the electorate of Danzig will vote Nazi and it is pretty certain that the Senate will consequently endeavour to recast the constitution in an undemocratic sense, but they cannot do so legally without the consent of the League Council, which is very unlikely to be given. (Continued on Page 20)

WINIFRED BARNES PASSES

Famous Actress

London, Yesterday.

The death is announced of the actress Winifred Barnes, who was leading lady in many famous war-time musical comedies. — Reuter.

It is not long since she went to America to fulfil a "star" contract at Hollywood, where she quickly established herself as a general favourite in the film colony.

MANCHUKUO RULER VISITS JAPAN

FIRST FOREIGN RULER TO DO SO

IMPERIAL COUTESIES AND POPULAR ENTHUSIASM

Yokohama, Yesterday.

The first foreign ruler ever to visit Japan arrived here this morning in the 35,000-ton battleship Hiyei, when Kang-te, Emperor of Manchukuo, set foot in Yokohama amid the boom of salutes, the cheers of tens of thousands of spectators and the waving of innumerable small Japanese and Manchukuo flags.

All the ships in harbour were gaily decked with bunting, ayrens were shrilling and guns booming out a 21-gun salute as the Hiyei, with the five-coloured naval ensign of Manchukuo flying at the peak, moved slowly and majestically up Tokyo Bay towards the landing jetty, escorted by the 12th Destroyer Flotilla (the Murakumo, Usugomo and Shirakumo) and a squadron of seaplanes from the Yokosuka Naval Base. She dropped anchor shortly after 9 a.m.

The Bund and harbour presented a gay scene despite the weather, which was chilly and overcast, with Venetian masts strung with bunting and the godowns and palatial office buildings gaily decorated with flags in honour of the Imperial visitor.

TOKYO'S ROYAL WELCOME FOR EMPEROR KANGTE

WARSHIPS THUNDER OUT SALUTE

PLANES MANOEUVRE OVERHEAD

Yokohama, Yesterday.

Chilly, windy, and overcast weather greeted H.I.M.S. Hiyei as she steamed into the harbour here at 8.45 a.m. to-day with the Emperor Kangte aboard. Meanwhile Japanese warships thundered out the Royal salute and some 150 naval aeroplanes manoeuvred overhead.

Foreign steamers were gaily decorated for the occasion, including the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Canada and the Dollar liner s.s. President Grant.

The Emperor Kangte entrained at 10.45 a.m. and arrived at Tokyo railway station at 11.30 a.m. From there he proceeded to the Akasaka Palace at 11.40 a.m. in a cortege consisting of seven horse-drawn state carriages. Tokyo was en fête throughout the day. — Reuter.

Interchange Of Highest Decorations

After a short rest at the Akasaka Detached Palace, Emperor Kangte proceeded at 1.30 p.m. to the Imperial Palace, where he was formally received by the Japanese Emperor and Empress, whom he presented with the highest decorations of Manchukuo.

At 3.30 p.m. the Japanese Emperor returned the visit and presented Emperor Kangte with the highest order of Japan. At 6 p.m. the Emperor and Empress gave a state banquet for Emperor Kangte. — Reuter.

MISSING SEAMEN FOUND

The two seamen, H. Asley, and J. W. Mawson, who were reported missing from the Empress of Britain when she sailed last month, have been found and are being returned to their ship.

At 9.45 this morning H.I.H. Prince Chichibu, the brother of the Emperor of Japan, accompanied by a Reception Committee of 14 of Japan's highest officials, proceeded on board to welcome the Emperor Kangte.

His Majesty had left Dairen four days before, accompanied by a suite of 74 leading Manchukuo officials, on the first journey he had made outside his realm since he was enthroned in March last year.

A glorious, sunny Boat Race morning was welcomed by thousands of fans, but cursed by Oxford, since they considered that a strong north-westerly head-wind would mean probable victory as they are considered to be the more muscular crew, while Cambridge are handicapped with square six-and-a-half inch blades. (Continued on Page 17).

AIR RESISTANCE IN AEROPLANES

New Wind Tunnel For Testing Purposes

OPENED BY AIR MINISTER AT FARNBOROUGH

London, Last Night.

The new aeronautic wind tunnel, one of the largest in the world, was set in motion by Lord Londonderry, the Air Minister, at the Royal Aircraft establishment at Farnborough on Friday.

A single-seater fighter aeroplane was held on a leash in the test chamber in the path of the wind as it thundered through the tunnel. The wind reactions are recorded in delicate instruments. (Continued on Page 20)

PAUL RUEGG IN HOSPITAL

VICTIM OF TYPHUS FEVER

Nanking, Yesterday.

Paul Ruegg (Noulens), who is serving a life sentence in Kiangsu prison, was conveyed to the Central Hospital on Thursday, suffering from typhus fever, according to a statement issued by the Ministry of Justice. — Reuter.

Four And A Half Lengths Verdict In Slow Time



The first photograph to reach Hong Kong of the Agreement between Manchukuo and the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics for the cession to Manchukuo of the rights of the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics concerning the Chinese Eastern Railway being formally signed at the official residence of the Japanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Koki Hirota, on March 23 at Tokyo. In the centre of the group, seated, is the Foreign Minister, and on his right, seated, is the Soviet Ambassador, M. Constantin Yurenev. M. Kaslovsky, chief of the Far Eastern Bureau of the Soviet Foreign Bureau is on the Ambassador's left. General W. S. Y. Fing, Manchukuo Minister to Japan, is on Mr. Hirota's left. Mr. Chuichi Chashi, Vice-Foreign Minister and Mr. Wu Tze-sheng of the North Manchuria Railway Council, both of Manchukuo, are in the extreme right foreground of the picture. Mr. Mamoru Shigemitsu, Vice-Foreign Minister of Japan, is behind Mr. Hirota (handkerchief showing).

PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1 CAPTURED

RAYMOND HAMILTON BETRAYED

DISCRETION BETTER PART OF VALOUR DESPITE BOAST

Dallas, Texas, Yesterday.

Raymond Hamilton, America's current Public Enemy No. 1, has been captured alive near Fort Worth.

Sheriff Schmid, accompanied by four deputies, conducted a raid on the gangster's hideout near the broadcasting station and captured Hamilton without firing a shot.

CANTONESE HONOUR THEIR ANCESTORS

Ching Ming Festival Celebrations

ONCE PROSCRIBED BUT NOW FLOURISHING AGAIN

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, Yesterday. All government offices, Kuomintang offices and schools closed to-day on account of the Ching Ming Festival, in order to enable the officials and others to go to the mountain and worship their ancestors at their tombs.

Incoming trains and steamers from Hong Kong are packed with passengers, who are arriving here to pay their respects to their departed, who are buried in the nearby mountains. This rush of business will continue for about a week. The police are attempting to curb the overcrowding of steamers and junks. (Continued on Page 17)

WEATHER FORECAST

The anticyclone is moving slowly eastward across the Sea of Japan, and a ridge of moderately high pressure extends from south Japan to the lower Yangtze Valley. Pressure is relatively low over Indo-China. The typhoon is centred about 120 miles north-east of Hilo, moving slowly west-north-west. A depression is situated to the east of Hokkaido. The local forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory last night, was east winds, moderate; cloudy, with occasional mist and drizzle.

STRESA CONFERENCE PREPARATIONS

British Premier May Not Go

London, Yesterday.

Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, will review the result of his tour during the week-end and report on Monday to a full meeting of the Cabinet, which will then be in a position to decide the British course to be pursued at the Stresa Conference.

Conversations are proceeding in London between representatives of the Governments concerned with regard to the agenda. It is almost certain that the talk at Stresa will begin with the British report on the result of the visit to the European capitals. (Continued on Page 20)

Cabinet Meeting To-morrow

The House of Commons will probably be informed on Monday as to the names of the British Ministers who will attend the Stresa Conference. (Continued on Page 20)

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND SHARE SOCCER SPOILS

SCOTS TRIUMPH AT HAMPDEN PARK

130,000 GIVE DUKE OF YORK GREAT WELCOME

Glasgow, Yesterday.

An enormous crowd, estimated at 130,000 were present at Hampden Park to-day in glorious weather to see Scotland beat England by two clear goals after leading by a goal at the interval in the concluding international soccer classic of the season.

As a result of Scotland's win, the International Championship was jointly won by England and Scotland, who both secured 6 points. The gates were closed three quarters of an hour before the start of the game and men of the St. John Ambulance Brigade and policemen were busily attending to fainting cases in the densely packed area.

FIRST ROYAL VISITOR

The crowd gave a wonderful reception to His Royal Highness the Duke of York on his arrival, as he is the first member of the Royal family to attend a soccer match in Scotland.

Alford of Tottenham Hotspur replaced Bray at left-half as the latter was injured. (Continued on Page 20)

MOUNT EVEREST ATTEMPT

Mr. Rutledge Leaving For India

London, Last Night.

In order to undertake the preliminary organisation for the 1935 to 1936 expedition to Mount Everest, Mr. Hugh Rutledge, who will lead the attempt to climb the world's highest mountain, will shortly leave for India. — British Wireless Service.

TYPHOON WARNING

A cable received by the United States Consulate from the Manila Observatory at 3 p.m. yesterday reported that the typhoon was then situated in about longitude 124 deg. East and latitude 12 deg. North, i.e. a little to the North of Cebu, Visayas Islands, moving West-north-west.

CAMBRIDGE WIN TOSS

LIGHT BLUES LEAD ALMOST FROM START

STYLE AND STAMINA BEAT BRAUN

OXFORD'S GALLANT CHALLENGE

London Yesterday.

Style and stamina overcame strength and weight to-day when Cambridge recorded their twelfth successive victory over Oxford in the annual University Boat-Race by four and a half-lengths in 19 minutes 48 seconds, which is 1 minute 45 seconds slower than last year's record time.

Cambridge won the toss and chose the Surrey side, which is supposed to be one of the biggest factors in the race, the Surrey station being sheltered as far as Hammersmith Bridge, after which the water is rough on both stations.

Oxford jumped into a short lead at the start but after a minute Cambridge forged ahead and retained the lead throughout.

Such conditions existed last night, but the morning brought only a light westerly breeze, not favouring greatly either crew.

Winning the toss is expected to prove a great factor as the Surrey station is likely to be sheltered as far as Hammersmith Bridge, after which the water will be rough on both stations.

If Oxford win the toss and are level with Cambridge at Hammersmith Bridge many think their strength will pull them to victory; others say that Cambridge's watermanship will overcome Oxford's power.

STRENGTH AGAINST STYLE The race is really a battle of strength and weight against style and stamina.

For the first time in history neither President is rowing, Bradley, of Cambridge, as a result of a skiing accident in Switzerland, while Mosley, of Oxford, is standing down. (Continued on Page 17)

Weather Clears For Thames Classic

HEAD WIND FROM PUTNEY TO MORTLAKE

London, Last Night.

Following a day of windy conditions during which severe showers of snow and hail fell in many parts of the country, the weather to-day was warmer and somewhat less boisterous in London, and fair conditions for the Oxford and Cambridge Boat-Race this afternoon are anticipated. (Continued on Page 17)

LOCAL BOAT-RACE DINNER

Governor Presides

LARGE ATTENDANCE LISTENS IN TO RACE

His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, presided over the annual Oxford and Cambridge Boat-Race Dinner, which was largely attended at the Gloucester Building last night. (Continued on Page 17)

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Where Will It All End?

By INEZ HOLDEN

ELSA worked all day. In the evenings she was always tired. But whenever she could she went out to dinner in a restaurant or to supper in a night club. She did not do this only because she was hungry, it was also because she hoped that someone would see her and fall in love with her.

Elsa was always saying to herself: "Perhaps someone will fall in love with me, and then I shall get married." She trained herself to believe in this saying. It revived her drooping spirits. It was an antidote to that question that was always cropping up in her mind: "Where will it all end?"

Elsa was the daughter of a sergeant-major—a Guardsman. She had spent many hours of her childhood listening to her father shouting at soldiers. She liked to see them drilling, she stared at the sentries marching up and down outside the Palace, and delighted in the spectacle of the Changing of the Guard. But in tune to all this pagantry there was a song in her heart about "bettering herself."

When she grew up she would not marry a common soldier. She would marry the sort of man that other women wanted, and as Elsa did not know what sort of man this was she had to invent him.

He would smile a great deal, like the heroes she had seen at the pictures, and he would give Elsa a wonderful opera cloak, which she would wear when she appeared at his side in a place of glittering lights, bowing waiters, and food at five times what it was worth. He would hand her cigarettes out of a gold case, and light them for her, leaning across the table, looking into her eyes. Elsa had seen the film-heroes do this, but she did not know what they should be saying or how they talked, because silent pictures did not "go out" until after she had grown up.

When Elsa's childhood was over she set about "bettering herself." She went on the stage, she became a mannequin, she sold hats in a shop and danced in night clubs—she flung herself into the complicated confidence trick of modern life.

Elsa was pretty, not beautiful at all, rather "flash," and extremely simple-minded. She tried, without talent, without unusual character, or exceptional charm, to get married, and what was equally difficult, to exist in the meantime. She was a failure; it was all too difficult for her.

She was not like those "girls of good family," who seemed to skim along all right without money, cadging this and that on the way until they edged a rich husband—they were the daughters of officers and not the children of sergeant-majors. They did not have the agony of wondering "Where will it all end?"—because they knew. For them the end was in sight right from the beginning.

It was just as Elsa was learning to hate the struggle for existence that Claude "happened along." It was an expression of which he was fond. He said afterwards: "Well, Elsa, you see how it was—I just happened along."

He had known the man with whom she had been dancing that evening, and so he had got introduced to her. He smiled a great deal, he handed her a cigarette out of a gold case, and, leaning across the table, he lighted it for her, looking into her eyes. He talked in a brusque self-confident voice with an American accent, so that Elsa was reminded of every "talkie" star.

A week later they were married. There was nothing to delay their marriage; the sergeant-major had died, and Elsa was an orphan. Claude talked sometimes of his "people" in America, but those individuals or to get any nearer home.

Claude took Elsa to the South of France. She walked about at Cannes, and enjoyed not having to wonder where she would get her next meal, and how she would pay for it. Once it was eaten. The question in her mind was silenced—she no longer asked herself: "Where will it all end?"

Elsa supposed that her husband was rich, because he was always gambling. Sometimes she watched him playing cards; although she did not understand the games it seemed to her that he was always winning. She was very glad that he was lucky.

But they had most of their meals in the noisy, crowded, top-price restaurants, and sometimes Claude asked a few of his friends in to dinner. They were all men with whom he played cards. Claude sat up late every evening gambling so that Elsa felt that she knew nothing of his life, because she did not understand any card-game.

Sometimes he talked to her of his life before their meeting. Three were stories of a young American heiress he had married, of their subsequent divorce, of life on Long Island; of races—motorcar races, horse-races, motor-boat races. But these stories of high-speed life did not make Elsa feel that she knew him any better; indeed, as she listened, the "film-star personality" she had married became, although more romantic to her, also more unreal.

Besides this, there was something strange about the story of his life, not only because it varied a little from time to time, but because there was so much left out in all these stories. There was no mention of himself between the ages of 18 and 23. Elsa was not able to discover that he had been doing then. There was a blank—a hiatus. He never spoke of it.

At first this mystery was a slight thing, but soon it took possession of her so that she thought of nothing else. It became her whole life. Her daytime thoughts were full of those unknown five years in her husband's life. They kept her awake at night, and sometimes thinking about them tired her so much that she slept.

One night Elsa dreamt that he had been a convict, and she woke up happy because she had got an answer, but soon she knew that it was not the right answer, and so she was no nearer a solution. She looked at her watch—it was five o'clock. Claude would have gone to bed. He had been playing cards with some friends—new friends. They had come to dinner with Claude and Elsa. She supposed that Claude had won a lot of money from them—he always won; he had been born lucky. Some people were like that.

Elsa got up—she put on her dressing-gown and walked towards the sitting-room. She did not know exactly what she was going to do. Eighteen to twenty-three—the unknown five years dominated her mind. She thought that there might be some papers, some photographs or letters in her husband's desk that would give her a clue. He would never find out what she had done, because he would be asleep; he always slept soundly after winning at cards.

But when she reached the glass door she could tell by the shadow against it that Claude was still there. He was alone. Suddenly she was afraid. It was no good going back, because if she had seen him surely he had seen her too. So she opened the door and walked in. Elsa said, "What is the matter?" She tried not to show that she was afraid.

"I lost money playing cards with those sharpers," he said. "I suppose I was a fool to play with people I knew nothing about; but I might have guessed what they were—they were all too well dressed to be honest."

"But I don't understand," Elsa answered. "Why should you call them sharpers just because they happened to win?"

"I don't understand!" He repeated her words after her in mimicry. There was contempt in his voice. "Are you pretending that you don't know there's only one way of winning at cards—all the time?"

There was a kind of "violence" about him which made Elsa afraid. She ran from the room and left him alone.

And so he was a cardsharp! Elsa did not really care very much; in fact, she was rather pleased. There was cinema-life for you! Think of it! She had been married to a cardsharp. Of course he had lost all his money, but that did not matter. He would make it again. But had he always been a cardsharp? Surely, at 18 years old he could not have known how to play poker and always win.

She crept back again and looked through the glass door leading into the sitting-room. It was lighter now, so that she could see Claude's shadow more clearly. He seemed to be suffering from some sort of shock; of course, it must be terrible

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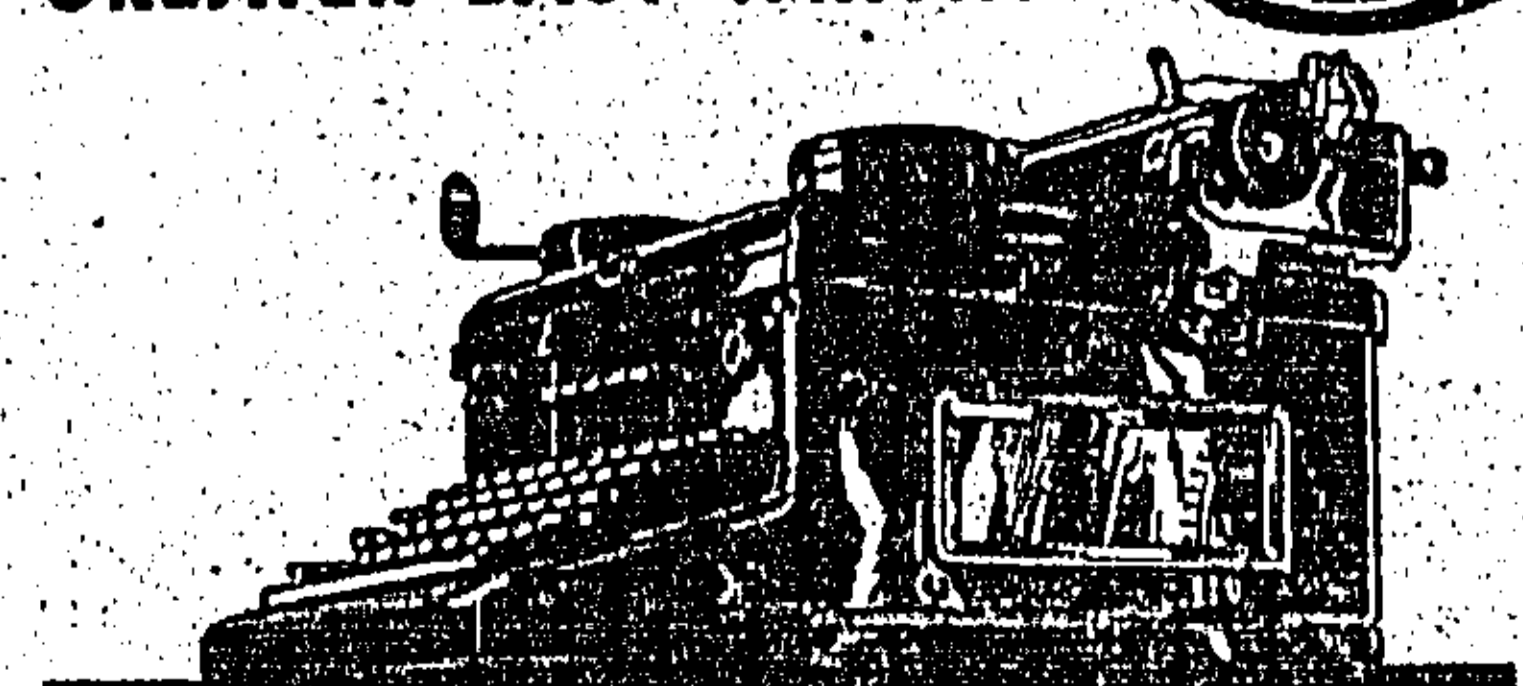
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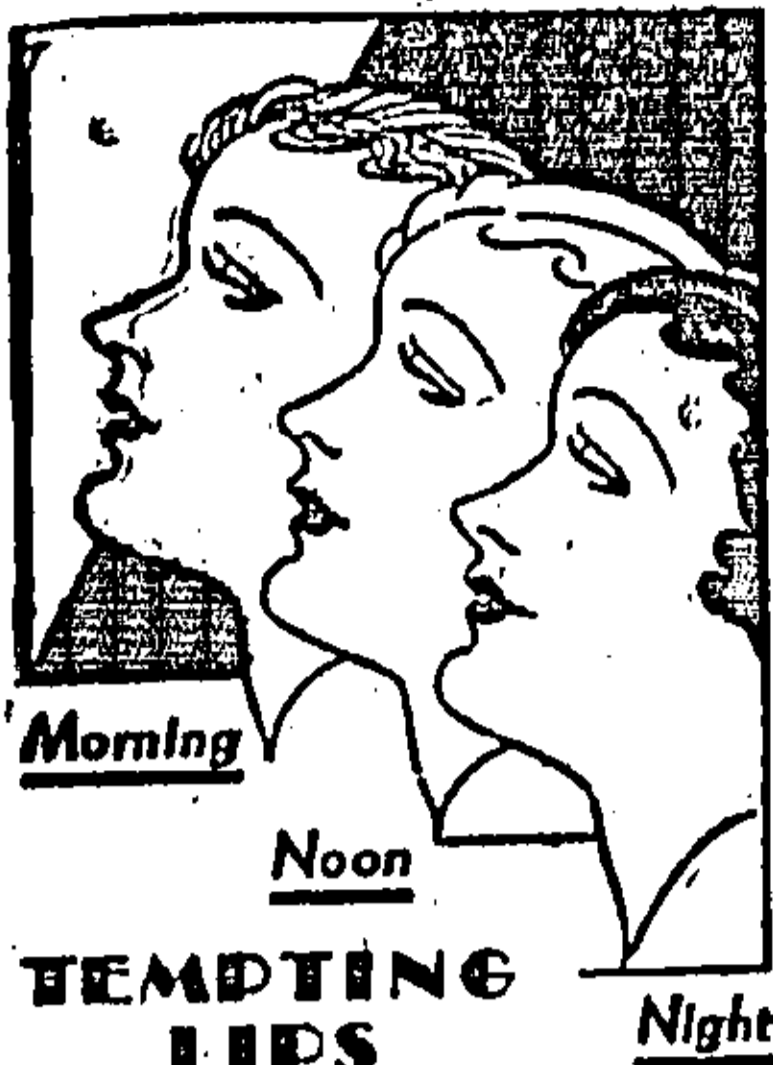
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OLONAISES created much interest among a collection of lovely clothes at one recent dress display. A satin-clare fitted to above the knees and then stood out in dignified folds, buttoning all the way up the front. It was in black lined Wedgwood.
The blue petticoat rustled as the wearer moved, and the lovely colour showed again in cuffs and a spray of chiffon roses near the throat—a very graceful demi-toilette fashioned in the quaint polonaise way.

THE TWIN-FLOWER FASHION
Accordion-Pleated Edgings

THE twin-flower fashion is an attractive note in the dress accessories of the moment. Flowers may be of velvet or silk, or of organdie.
The silk afternoon frock in green, black and white silk has accordion-pleated edgings as trimming. These are introduced in collar, long rever fronts, sleeve and basque frills, and also at the hem of the skirt.

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WHEN large pieces of embroidery, such as afternoon tea cloths, are being worked the finished portions are liable to become rubbed and soiled before the whole design is completed.
It is a good plan to protect them with cellulose wrapping. A sheet of this should be laid over each section as soon as it is finished and fastened in place with a tacking thread.
In this way the work is kept fresh and clean, but it may be clearly seen through the cellulose. This is convenient if it is necessary to compare colours or to match silks.



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MODERN corsetry is a science, and there can be no doubt that light lacing is by no means scientific.
The use of a corset is to correct the sagging and distortion of the abdominal muscles, and should have a supporting rather than contracting effect.
Properly fitted corsets improve the health and carriage of the wearer, and should be imperceptible in use, except for the comfort they provide.

WOOLLEN GLOVES

SETS of crocheted or woollen gloves and scarf will be an excellent addition to a plain suit this spring for really chilly days. A dark brown costume with green or tangerine gloves and scarf, would look most attractive.



FASHION "PIRATES" TO BE SUED
Designer's Threat

London.
FASHION "pirates" in England have been making a good living out of annexing the design of a successful model and selling it to retailers of cheap dresses, will not get away quite so easily in future, if the action of the leading London dressmakers is followed.
Molynoux, the dress designer, who has saloons in London and Paris, has intimated that he is now registering in London every model he creates, and will prosecute any case of infringement. A sum of £2 is paid for each registration.
The French Government gives firm protection to the dress industry in that country. The protection of designs is controlled by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry.

GREATER CHIC

SPLIT the side seams of the skirt for three or four inches from the hem on a knitted woollen or linen frock. This not only gives an appearance of greater chic—for many of the ordinary tailored suits have these slits this season—but prevents a pull on the hem.

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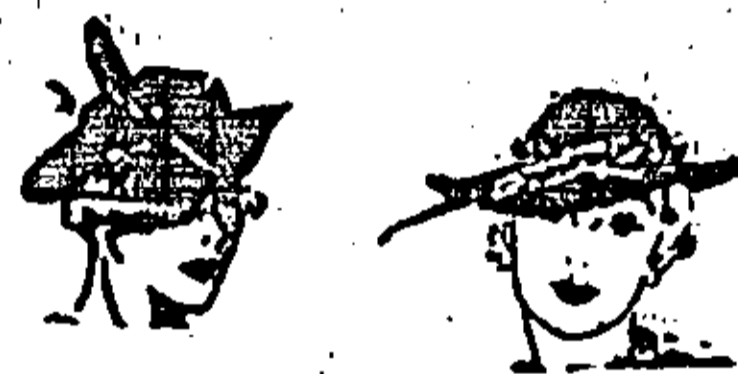
DRY CLEANING AT HOME

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Petrol cleaning should either be done out of doors, or away from fire or light, and a newly cleaned article must also be kept well out of reach of any possible spark or flame. A single supply of petrol will clean many garments, but it must be kept in an airtight tin, or it will evaporate.

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If your baby takes his airing on an upper porch be sure the back of the coach is covered with a blanket so that chill winds do not come in such abundance as to cause a cold in the head of the little fellow.



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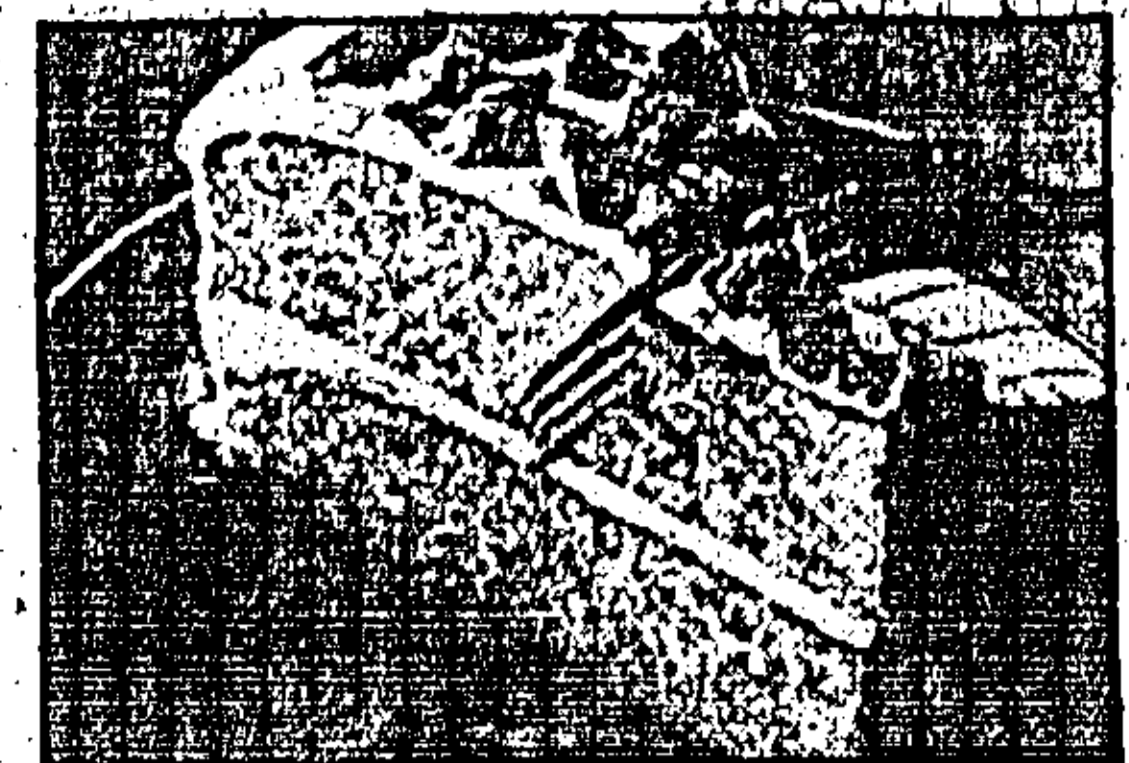
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Add alternately with milk—add about 1/2 cup of dry ingredients to first mixture; then some of the milk or other liquid. Repeat about 3 times until all is used.
Fold in beaten egg whites.
Bake in greased pans in moderate oven.

Remove from oven—let stand about 5 minutes before removing from pans. Cool before frosting.

Layer Cake

Cream 1/3 cup butter or lard; add 1 cup sugar slowly, beating in well. Add 2 well-beaten egg yolks and beat until well blended. Add 1 teaspoon vanilla extract (or other sweet odor extract). Sift together 2 cups pastry flour (or 1 3/4 cups bread flour) 2 teaspoons Royal Baking Powder and 1/2 teaspoon salt and add alternately with 2/3 cup milk to first mixture. Mix in 2 stiffly beaten egg whites thoroughly. Bake in 2 greased layer cake pans in moderate oven (375 degrees F., or oven hot enough to brown a small piece of white, unglazed paper in 15 min.) about 25 minutes. Cool. Spread between layers and on top and sides with Sea Foam Frosting (see Royal Cook Book) and sprinkle with chopped nuts.

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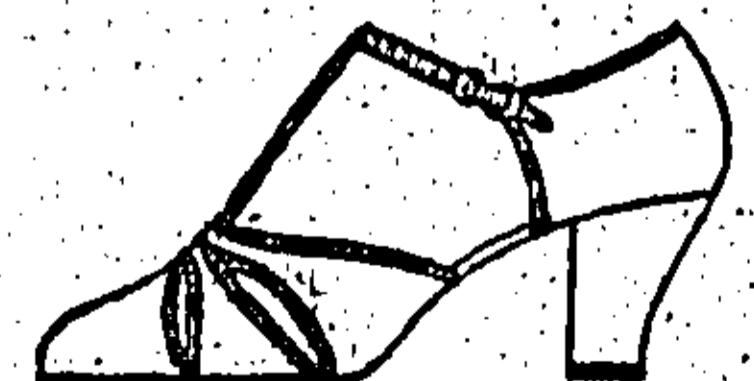


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EAST LANCES SHATTER SOUTH CHINA "A'S" UNBROKEN RECORD

MR. JOHNNY HEARD FAREWELLED AT THE H.K. JOCKEY CLUB

Glowing Tributes To
G.O.M. Of Turf

BON VOYAGE, NOT GOOD BYE
ATMOSPHERE

Glowing tributes were paid to probably one of the greatest amateur jockeys in the history of the turf in China when over 40 past and present riders gathered at the Hong Kong Jockey Club last night to bid bon voyage, not farewell, to Mr. Johnny Heard, who is leaving the Colony on retirement—probably only temporary—next Friday by the Conte Rosso.

Everybody thoroughly enjoyed themselves and the scene presented a very gay picture with the majority shouting for Heard throughout the evening.

There was a toast for every item on the menu, Mr. H. Seth being the first to rise with the toast Mr. A. H. Penn then toasted Mr. Heard with the fish! Mr. S. To Wong was then called on by Mr. Frost and he accomplished his task with the greatest ease. Mr. S. Y. Liang then proposed a well-worded toast in Chinese wishing Mr. Heard a happy and prosperous retirement, having "the tide and wind with you."

Pat To One And All

Mr. Gilbert Harriman said he was sure that all would agree with him that they would have felt much happier had they gathered to say bon voyage to Johnny Heard, instead of good bye.

He said that their host had always ridden with guts and honesty had been a pal to one and all, and wished him a long and happy retirement in England (applause).

The champion jockey, Mr. L. G. Frost, then said that he was very glad that the best part of the programme should be his.

"I am most serious when I say that Johnny can tell us where to get off whenever he wants to. We can all claim successes, but those are a mere flash in the pan as compared to his many successes over a period of 30 years. His has been a consistent success."

"I will go further and say that experience counts and there is more in riding—than—more—bravura—and muscle, and that little bit of grey matter which most of us possess must be called upon now and then if we are to follow in the footsteps of Johnny Heard."

Expected Back

"Regarding Johnny's retirement, I very much doubt whether he will stay away from us for there is an attraction out East which very few old hands have succeeded in fighting against and it is my firm belief that we shall be seeing him again."

"Inside this bag (a leather suitcase) is packed the good wishes of all of us and we wish you a long and happy retirement in England, that is if you are not back again with us in a couple of years' time." (loud applause and laughter).

Mr. Johnny Heard replied suitably and his last legacy, as he put it, to the novice jockeys was to train every day for one could not expect to turn up once a week and ride winners.

May Be Here In 1937

"I feel that I may come back, but certainly not in 1936, although I may be with you for four months in 1937, but it is in the hands of the gods. I thank you for your attendance gentlemen."

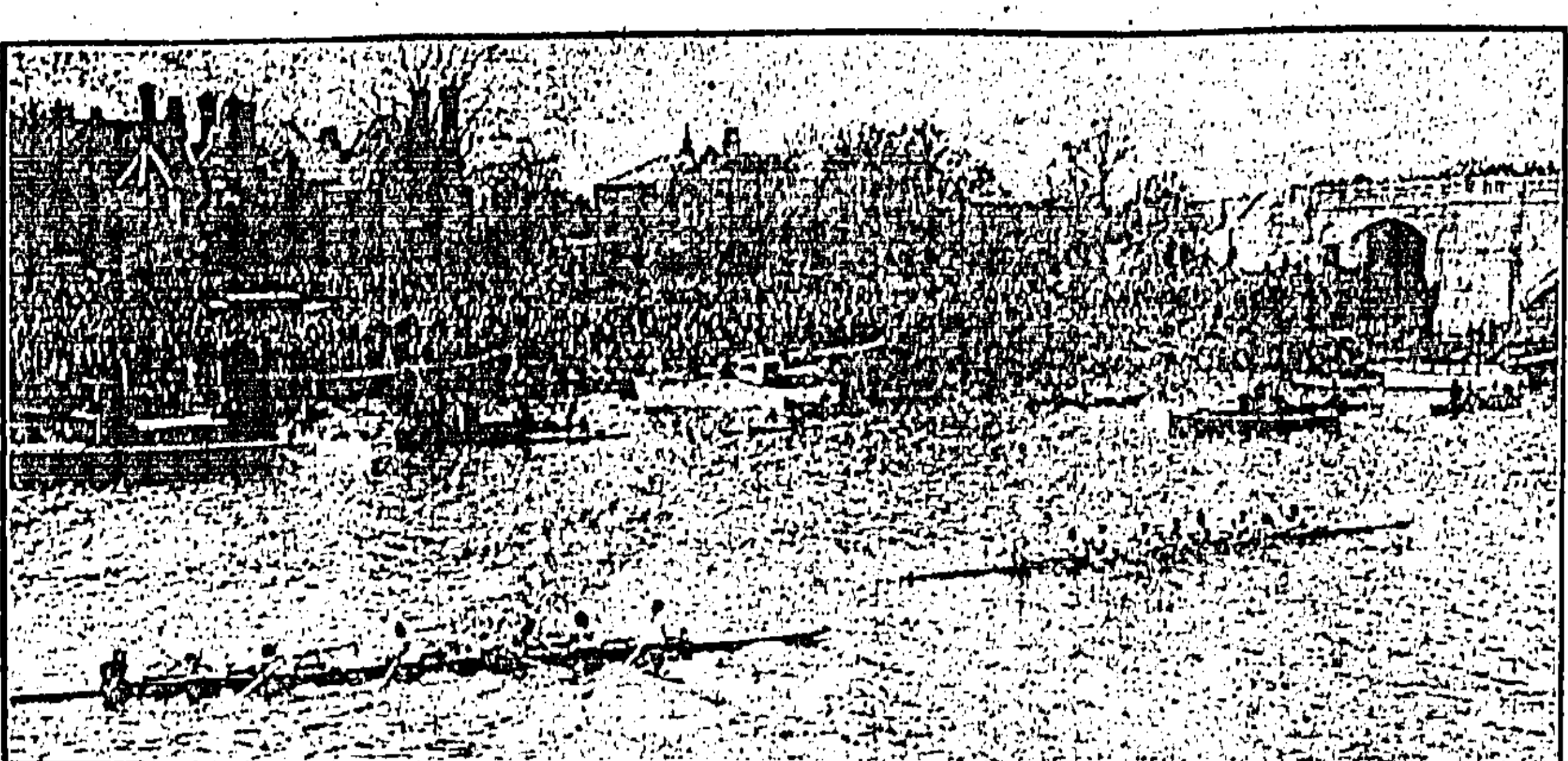
Mr. L. To Wong, on behalf of the Chinese owners and jockeys, said that Mr. Heard would be greatly missed from among their ranks.

Mr. R. M. Wood, Mr. Harold Soth, and Mr. Harry Hon Sling also paid tribute to Mr. Johnny Heard.

Among those present at the dinner were: Messrs. A. J. P. Heard, L. G. Frost, G. A. Harriman, Li Lam-sang, S. Y. Liang, Yu Shun-wa, S. To Wong, Y. F. Fung, Chin Chiang Tan, W. C. Poy, D. Black, A. H. Penn, V. R. Gordon, S. K. Lee, F. F. Li, S. N. Pan, G. N. Kong, J. Souza, R. M. Wood, H. E. Botelho, H. Soth, Young Wing-hong, Li Fuk-wing, C. M. Alves, W. H. S. Davis, H. V. Pearce, D. V. Lopes, G. Nougabauer, A. D. Coppin, J. B. Sanderson, G. A. Rosa, D. F. Lopes, E. E. Carvalho, A. A. R. Botelho, J. Johnson, Harry Hon Sling, and P. H. Reece.

CORRESPONDENCE

Spectator—Your correspondence should have been addressed to the newspaper concerned.—Ed.



The memorable finish to last year's Oxford and Cambridge Boat Race in which the Light Blues won by 4 1/2 lengths to set up a new record of 18 minutes 3 seconds. The crews are seen just past the finishing line.

C.R.C. TENNIS "AT HOME"

LO AND MRS. KYALL BEAT
RUMJAHN AND MRS. CHIU

A fairly large gathering was present at the annual "At Home" of the Chinese Recreation Club, which was held yesterday afternoon in very uncertain weather at Causeway Bay, and which was honoured by the presence of Lady Southern, wife of the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, President of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association, and Mr. C. J.

OPEN LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

SEMI-FINALS THIS
WEEK

DOUBLES FEATURE FOR
THURSDAY

The Open Lawn Tennis championships are drawing to a close and this week will see several semi-final encounters, including that in the Open Singles in which G.R.M. Ricketts meets the winner of the tie between Ho Ka-lau and Tsui Wai-pui, the present holder.

On Thursday, H. D. and S. A. Rumjahn, holders of the Open Doubles' title, encounter Paul Kong and Leo Wai-tong in the semi-final round, when the best tennis in the event is expected. To-morrow, the semi-final round of the Club Handicap Singles will take place when Pagh meets Monaghan and Scoones encounters Forster.

Week's Programme

The following is the week's programme:

MONDAY
Handicap Singles—Semi-Finals
M. Pagh (—15.2) v. T. C. Monaghan (—3.0).
Open Singles—Fourth Round
Ho Ka-lau v. Tsui Wai-pui (holder) (—3.0).

TUESDAY
Mixed Doubles Handicap
T. A. Pearce and Miss H. Hancock (—15.3) v. Mr. and Mrs. E. Bathurst (—3.0).

WEDNESDAY
Open Singles—Fourth Round
(Stand Court)
H. D. Rumjahn v. Paul Kong.

THURSDAY
Mixed Doubles Handicap
(Bottom Half)
J. E. Henry and Miss Stevenson (scr.) v. H. J. Armstrong and Mrs. J. P. Whitlam (—16).

FRIDAY
Open Singles—Semi-Final
(Bottom Half)
G. R. M. Ricketts v. winner of Ho Ka-lau v. Tsui Wai-pui.

RADIO HOCKEY ELEVEN

The following have been selected to represent the Radio Sports Club in their Mamak Hockey Tournament clash against the Royal Engineers at Caroline Hill, commencing at 4.15 p.m. to-day: H. M. B. X. da Souza; Parduman Singh and Bhajwan Singh; L. B. Kitchell, M. H. Hassan and J. M. Tavaras; Jaggeet Singh, Surjit Singh, Awtar Singh, Sarnagat Singh and F. A. Kemp (Captain).

Reserves:—M. de Souza and W. Ayock.

Tacchi, Hon. Secretary of the Hong Kong Lawn Tennis Association.

Mr. Ng Sze-kwong, Chairman of the Committee, said that although the Club had not enjoyed "the success of the previous year in the League, the Club had again won the "A" and "B" Divisions of the League.

To Start Lawn Bowls

He dwelt at length on the Club's activities for the past year and said that in response to a request (Continued on Page 17).

Prize List

The prize-winners for the past season were:

C. R. C. Tournaments
Junior Championship:
Winner: Leung Wai-pok; Runner-up: Tam Man-ko.

Handicap Singles:
Winner: Leung Bing-chiu; Runner-up: Ho Ka-lau.

Handicap Doubles:
Winners: Liang Sai-wah and Cheung Wing-min. Runners-up: Leo Wai-tong and Au King.

Doubles Championship:
Winners: Leo Wai-tong and Luk Ding-cheung. Runners-up: Ho Ka-lau and Yow Man-kit.

Singles Championship:
Champion: Tsui Wai-pui. Runner-up: Ho Ka-lau.

Hong Kong Lawn Tennis League
"A" Division:
Winners: Chinese Recreation Club (Ho Ka-lau, Captain).

"B" Division:
Winners: Chinese Recreation Club (Lam Tok-ki, Captain).

"C" Division:
Winners: South China Athletic Association.

Mixed Doubles League:
Winners: United Services Recreation Club.

Open Mixed Doubles Championship

Winners: L. Goldman and Miss H. Hancock. Runners-up: H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu.

**BOWLING GREEN
BEAT NAVAL
YARD RINKS**

**Friendly Encounter On
Heavy Green**

HOLLAND'S RINK SHINES

On a heavy green yesterday afternoon, the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, playing at home, defeated a team from the Royal Naval Yard by 100 shots to 73.

Scores:
K.B.C.C. R.N.Y.C.
Trotter Humphrey
Hanson Morley
Henderson Luck
Drake Beer

(Skip) 10 (Skip) 10
Macdonald Bright
Rosa Phelps
Hurry Allen
Rapley Edwards

(Skip) 14 (Skip) 16
Duncan Stott
Gill Trotter
Watson Hosking
Budding Hollidge

(Skip) 25 (Skip) 18
L. Duncan O'Connell
Hale Rogers
Holland Aldrich
Gill

(Skip) 24 (Skip) 11
Searle Hadla
Davidson Moloy
Mayer Summons
Thompson Lewis

(Skip) 18 (Skip) 18
100

CORINTHIAN YACHTING SERIES NOW CONCLUDED

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MR. WILLIAMS' SUCCESS

Yesterday was an ideal day for sailing and yachts completed the 10.7 mile-course in exceptionally good time. The race yesterday also completed the Corinthian Series.

Commodore F. Elliott, in Pat, won the "A" Class Series comfortably with 78 points. Mr. G. G. Wood, in Artemis, gained second place with 60 points, and Major Griffin, sailing Wasp II., came third with 58 points.

In the "I & Y" Classes Mr. R. B. Williams, sailing Jade, gained first place with 68 points, and Major Marshall, in Robena, with 49 points, just beat Capt. Ingle, in Heron, who registered 42 points.

In the "A" Class Mr. P. Ramus came first with 34 points in Diana, Mr. E. G. Lee, sailing Ariel, came second with 29 points, and Mr. W. M. Brown third, sailing Siskin, with 19 points.

In the "C" Class Capt. Fennell, in Toyette, came first with 34 points. Mr. H. M. Finlay in Sirius was second with 32 points, and Gael (Capt. H. Quinlan) third with 21 points.

Detailed results were as follows.

"A" Class Started 1420

Yacht	Finished	9 Position	5 Points	Previous Pt.	Total
Carpenter	16.20.20	9	16	20	36
(Mr. Borgue-Coupland)					
Osla	DNF	-	-	11	11
Wasp II. (Major Griffin)	16.25.27	7	7	51	58
Artemis (Mr. G. G. Wood)	16.24.23	4	10	50	60
La Lipda	DNS	-	-	28	28
Jan (Mr. M. Borgaust)	16.24.53	8	8	35	43
Isobel (Comdr. Cowland R.N.)	16.28.17	3	11	35	46
Joss (Mr. S. Odland)	16.24.26	5	9	32	41

(Continued on Page 5)

Alteration To Sailing Programme

The following are the alterations to the Sailing programme for the rest of the Season:
April 8 Ladies Regatta of 3rd Extra Series.
April 12 \$1.00 Sweepstake races for A Class, I.Y.D.G. Classes N Class.
April 14 Tai Yat Cup Race—Start 9.50 hrs. Handicap race for 1st 3As, 1st 3Ts and Ys, 1st 3Gs, 1st 3Ns, in Championship Series.
There will be a similar race for all other boats. Start 10.00 hrs.
April 1 Ladies Regatta of 4th Extra Series.
The remaining races will be as per programme.

BROKERS IN RETURN SOCCER MATCH

Meet China Provident
On Recreo Ground

The Stockbrokers will meet the China Provident Loan and Mortgage Company in a return soccer game this afternoon on the Club de Recreo ground, King's Park, commencing at 3 p.m.

The following will represent the Brokers:—Payne, Foxman and Botelho; Arcull, Marshall and Yusuf; Krilovsky, Leonard, Mackintosh, Carroll and Joseph.

Reserves:—N. Delts, S. A. Ismail, P. Botelho and L. Oppenheim.

WELL DESERVED SOCCER WIN NORTH OUTSTANDING FOR WINNERS

At long last a halt has been called to South China "A's" triumphant march through the First Division of the Football League! Yesterday at Caroline Hill they were well and truly beaten by the East Lancashires by 2 goals to 1, and there was no repetition of last week's fireworks and crackers in the Chinese Camp yesterday.

The result was no fluke. The East Lances played a hard game for the whole 70 minutes and fully deserved to win. Swain and Gorman were excellent in the defence; they both cleared in fine style and passed cleanly. Oxford did not have much work to do, for the ball seldom passed the stout defence. The half-backs played well, particularly North, who held Tso Kwai Shing and Fung King Cheung well in hand—besides his excellent defensive work, North did much to open up the game and much credit goes to him for their success.

Yesterday's Results At A Glance

FIRST DIVISION	FUSILIERS
CLUB	2
S. CHINA "A"	1
POLICE	5
NAVY	4
SOUTH CHINA	1
ENGINEERS	5
EAST LANCES	3
NAVY	4
ARTILLERY	2
UNIVERSITY	—
(not played)	
THIRD DIVISION	ORDNANCE
FUSILIERS	3

YESTERDAY'S GOALSCORERS

FIRST DIVISION	GOALS
Green (Police)	1
Dennis (Fusiliers)	1
B. Gosano (Recreo)	1
Roberts (Navy)	1
Cannell (Navy)	1
Crawford (Navy)	1
Slater (Navy)	1
Lawton (E. Lances)	1
Ng Po-ku (S. China "A")	1
Johnston (Police)	1
T. Pile (Police)	1
Li Shui-ying (S. China "B")	1
Tsang King-kee (S. China "B")	1
Brindley (Fusiliers)	1
Brindley (Club)	1
Howe (Club)	1
Delgado (Recreo)	1
Gomes (Recreo)	1
SECOND DIVISION	GOALS
Dobbs (Lincolns)	1
Torne (Lincolns)	1
Fung Tsai-po (Eastern)	1
Oppenheim (Kowloon)	1
Howlett (Engineers)	1
Latham (Artillery)	1
Brooks (Artillery)	1
Rush (Lincolns)	1
Males (Navy)	1
Brindley (Navy)	1
Cheng Shing-sing (Eastern)	1
Sung Ning-sing (Eastern)	1
Ip Kou-ming (S. China)	1
McClary (E. Lances)	1
McClary (E. Lances)	1
Budden (Engineers)	1
Crough (Engineers)	1
Darby (Engineers)	1
THIRD DIVISION	GOALS
Singleton (Fusiliers)	1
Darby (Fusiliers)	1
Prince (Ordnance)	1

LEAGUE TABLES

FIRST DIVISION	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.P.
South China "A"	21	17	1	3	61	19
Club	18	8	4	6	35	32
South China "B"	19	9	6	4	44	38
Police	18	8	4	6	31	22
Lincolns	21	10	9	2	42	40
Recreo	18	8	6	4	41	20
Navy	18	7	7	3	34	24
Athletic	16	6	4	6	33	18
Fusiliers	17	6	5	5	31	17
Artillery	17	6	5	5	31	17
East Lances	20	6	13	1	32	13
St. Joseph's	18	4	11	3	20	11
Kowloon	19	2	14	3	22	46
SECOND DIVISION	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.P.
Lincolns	19	18	1	0	65	21
East Lances	19	14	4	1	58	18
Navy	20	12	6	2	59	38
Engineers	15	7	6	2	31	25
Fusiliers	16	6	6	4	39	18
Artillery	17	6	2	12	32	16
South China	15	6	5	3	29	15
Athletic	17	7	9	1	30	42
Eastern	19	6	12	1	27	55
Club	19	4	11	5	36	57
University	15	4	10	1	30	33
Kowloon	18	2	14	2	11	68
THIRD DIVISION	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.P.
East Lances	20	16	2	2	82	22
Lincolns	20	13	4	3	64	25
R.A.M.C.	19	12	4	2	48	28
Air Force	19	8	7	4	33	20
R.A.M.C.	18	9	7	2	31	34
Recreo	15	9	6	0	40	28
Fusiliers	19	7	9	3	45	17
R.A.O.C.	19	7	12	0	39	48
R.E.	20	5	13	2	22	50
Police	20	5	13	2	19	58
Railway	18	5	13	2	23	78

The forwards were lacking in nothing—they were continually round the Chinese goal, and Lawton had several good attempts before he eventually succeeded. Lawton played a great game and was very unfortunate in not being able to score often.

Lee Tin Sang Missed

The Chinese played well, but not up to the expected standard. A few changes were evident in the team; Wong Wing could not turn out, and his place was taken by Tang Yat Ming, who did very well; he saved some excellent shots and the two which evaded him would have beaten the majority of goalkeepers, particularly North's brilliant winning goal. Leung In Chan and Lau Mau did good work in the back line, but Leung has not the polish of Li Tin Sang and miskicked frequently.

The forwards were very fast and played well together, but both Wong and Tam resorted to their regrettable habit of concentrating too much on the ball. Fung King Cheung was not so thorough as usual and missed several chances by not being up with the ball.

Play during the first half was confined mainly to midfield. The East Lances ran through from the whistle, but were checked by Lau Mau who sent play to the other end; apart from one or two dashes, play to half-time was a series of movements in the centre of the field.

Chinese Winger Scores

The first goal was scored five minutes from half time, when Ng Po Kui took a corner and in order to allow for the heavy wind directed his shot towards the middle; the wind caught the ball and turned it into the goal. Oxford leaped for it and held it, but stumbled back before throwing out for Swain to clear, and the referee allowed a goal—first blood to the Chinese.

Cannell missed an opportunity of equalising soon after the commencement of the second half when he took a free kick just outside the area only to shoot well over the top.

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SAPPERS BEAT CLUB BY FIVE GOALS

Penalty Missed

The Sappers completely outplayed the Club juniors on the Club Ground yesterday, scoring five goals without reply. On this form the Engineers ought to win the Junior Shield next Saturday.

The Club started off very well and a nice long shot of Pearce's was well saved by Sollek, but a short while later Fowler, with only the goalkeeper to beat, shot wide. By this time the R.E.'s had settled down and Budden, taking a nice pass from Boyling, sent the ball past Nicholls to open the scoring. Just before half-time Crough increased his side's score.

On the resumption the Engineers dominated the play and Howlett (2) and Darby (1) brought the Sappers total to five. In the latter stage of the game Howlett missed a penalty.



Lee Wai-tong, the South China football idol, right, very nearly beat Sirdar Rumjahn, former holder of the Colony Open Singles' title, in their quarter-final match on Friday at the H.K.C.C. (King's Studio).

POLICE ROUT SOUTH CHINA "B" IN SHIELD PRELUDE

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CHINESE AT FULL STRENGTH

In the forerunner to next Saturday's Shield Final the Police won a spirited premier league soccer game against South China "B" by 5 goals to 2 yesterday.

Green, the Police inside-left, showed a welcome return to his best form, and secured the "hat-trick," whilst his partnership with Moss was one of the features of a fast and exciting game.

South China turned out at full strength, but the Police brought in Bone again at

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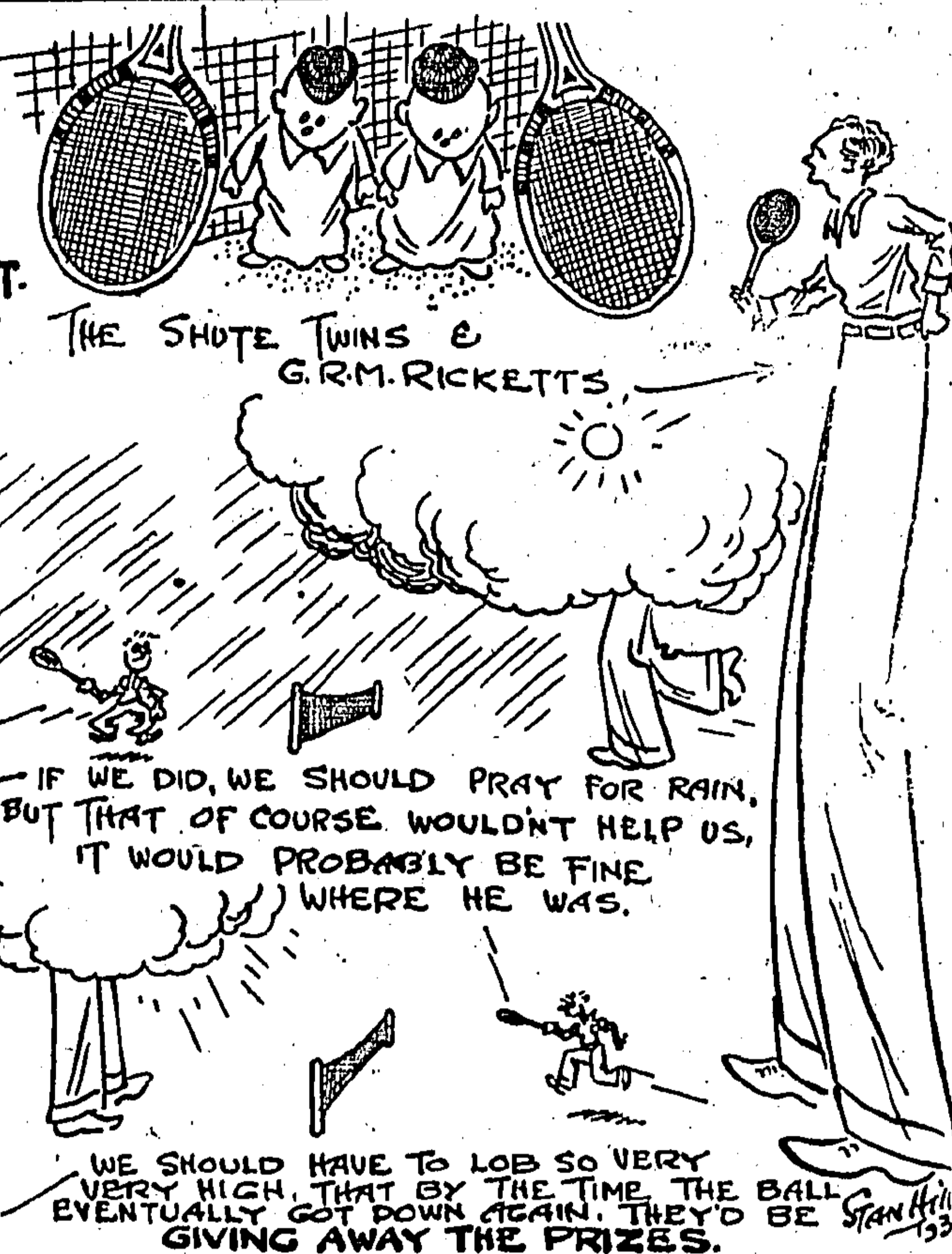
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EVENTUALLY GOT DOWN AGAIN, THEY'D BE
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I. R. C. JUNIORS BEAT QUEEN'S COLLEGE TEAM

Khan And Rumjahn
Save Sookunpoo Club

KITCHELL'S FINE BOWLING

Playing at Sookunpoo yesterday, the Indian Recreation Club junior defeated Queen's College by 24 runs in their friendly cricket encounter.

Scores:—

Indian R. C.

A. Baker, c Khan, b Kitchell	7
A. K. Ismail, c Ismail, b Kitchell	18
M. R. Abbas, c Lee, b Kitchell	8
M. el Arculli, c Khan, b Kitchell	5
M. I. Razack, c Khan, b Nazarin	9
Y. el Arculli, run out	4
T. Ali, c Lee, b Kitchell	9
D. M. Khan, run out	27
A. M. Rumjahn, c substitute b Cassim	27
H. T. Barma, not out	0
Extras (B. 3)	3
Total	116

Bowling Analysis

O.	M.	R.	W.
Nazarin	10	1	48
Kitchell	11	0	59
Cassim	2.3	1	6

Queen's College

K. Nazarin, b Abbas	0
N. Lee, b Abbas	0
M. Afzal, l.b.w., b Razack	30
A. R. Kitchell, c Barma, b Ismail	1
Jaggit Singh, c Razack, b M. el Arculli	5
N. Ahmed, b Baker	0
A. R. Abbas, b Baker	23
S. M. Cassim, c Razack, b Ismail	2
A. H. Ismail, b Ismail	0
A. R. Khan, not out	4
H. A. Buse, b Mohamed	12
Extras (B. 11: W.B. 1)	12
Total	82

Bowling Analysis

O.	M.	R.	W.
Abbas	2	0	4
Ismail	4	1	6
M. el Arculli	4	0	22
Y. el Arculli	4	0	8
A. Baker	4	1	3
Rumjahn	3	2	4
M. I. Razack	4	1	22
Dost Mohamed	3	1	1

GOSANO'S CENTURY AT POKFULAM

Engineers Lucky To
Force Draw

The friendly cricket match between the Medicals and the Engineers of the University of Hong Kong, played at Pokfulam yesterday, resulted in a draw.

Medicals: 182 for 3 decs (E. L. Gosano, 104; B. L. Ng, 17. K. L. Ng,

DODWELLS BEATEN BY THE BANK

Interport Stumper
Takes 4 For 5

SMITH'S ALL-ROUND DISPLAY

In an inter-"Hong" cricket encounter on the Cricket Club ground yesterday, the Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank defeated Dodwells and Company by 14 runs, G. S. Dunkley, the Interport stumper, taking 4 wickets for 5 runs in 7 overs, four of which were maidens.

Scores:—

Hong Kong Bank

R. P. Edwards, c Dodwell, b F. S. W. Smith	11
G. A. Stewart, l.b.w., b F. S. W. Smith	22
P. H. Secones, c Hayward, b Bond	39
H. A. Browning, c Bond, b R. R. T. Smith	2
W. H. B. Rigg, l.b.w., b F. S. W. Smith	0
G. S. Dunkley, c Humphreys, b R. R. T. Smith	15
G. C. Moutrie, b F. S. W. Smith	2
A. H. R. Butcher, b Bond	1
I. H. Bradford, l.b.w., b Dodwell	6
F. H. King, c Bond, b Dodwell	1
M. W. Turner, not out	2
Extras (B. 4: L.B. 2)	2
Total	109

Bowling Analysis

O.	M.	R.	W.
Bowker	5	0	19
F. S. W. Smith	12	1	46
R. R. T. Smith	6	1	24
Bond	2	0	7
Dodwell	2	0	8

Dodwell And Co.

A. W. Hayward, b Rigg	14
H. O. Bramble, c Rigg, b King	5
F. S. W. Smith, b Dunkley	29
R. R. T. Smith, c Moutrie, b King	0
S. H. Dodwell, b Stewart	6
A. C. I. Bowker, b Dunkley	16
E. W. Loveless, c Butcher, b Dunkley	6
V. Bond, b Dunkley	0
W. M. Barton, b Rigg	0
W. Wright, c Moutrie, b Stewart	4
A. D. Humphreys, not out	3
Extras (B. 14: W.B. 1)	15
Total	95

Bowling Analysis

O.	M.	R.	W.
Rigg	11	4	21
Stewart	14.4	3	27
Butcher	1	0	6
King	3	1	6
Dunkley	7	4	5
Moutrie	3	0	15

1 for 47; K. T. Ng, 1 for 55).
Engineers: 49 for 9 (K. L. Ng, 14; L. Oliveira, 12. E. L. Gosano, 2 for 4; L. T. Rde, 4 for 14).

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"H" Class Started 1455				
Corrected				
Dianna (Mr. P. Ramus)	16.48.00	1	7	27
Colleen				18
Rolls (Col. Kirke)	16.49.51 1/2	3	4	7
Slakin (Mr. W. M. Brown)	16.49.42 1/2	2	5	14
Ariel (Mr. E. G. Leo)	16.58.21 1/2	4	3	20
Dorothea	DNF			14
"T" and "Y" Classes Started 1430				
Danina				0
Atlas				30
Stella	16.42.18 1/2	5	5	27
(Mr. J. G. Plicher)				
Jade	16.38.17 1/2	1	10	43
(Mr. R. W. Williams)				
Heron	16.36.44 1/2	2	8	34
(Capt. C. T. Ingle)				
Hobena	16.40.24	3	7	36
(Major H. Marshall)				
Wildgeon	16.42.17	4	6	23
Adanac				8
Zephyr				18
"G" Class Started 1435				
Gael				21
Toynette	16.47.34 1/2	2	5	29
(Capt. W. J. Fennell)				
Eunice	DNF			12
Joan	DNS			3
Silrus	16.44.41	1	7	25
(Mr. H. M. Finlay)				
Lola	DNS			13

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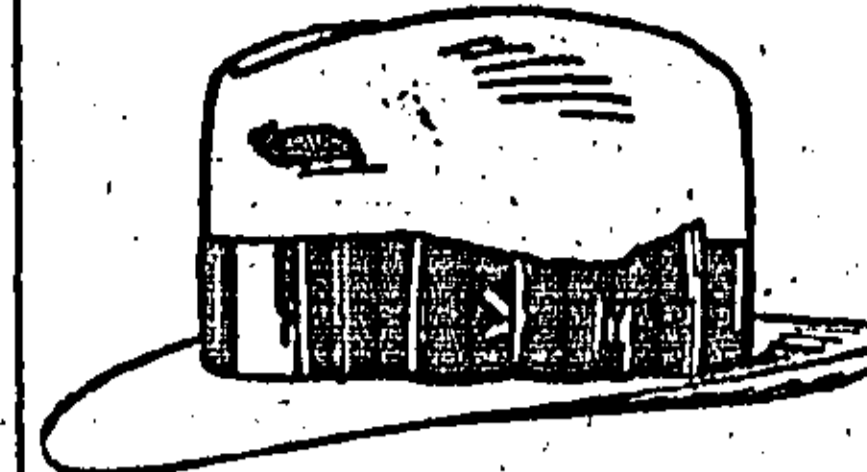
Sunday Herald Sports Diary

TO-DAY

Football.—First Division	
Chinese Athletic v. Navy	(Club ground, 4.45 p.m.)
St. Joseph's v. Lincolns	(Caroline Hill, 4.45 p.m.)
Second Division.—	
South China v. University	(3.15 p.m.)
Golf.—	
Kowloon Golf Club High Handicap	Competition, 9 a.m.
Yachting.—	
Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club v. Army.	
TO-MORROW	
Yachting.—	
Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club Spoon	Race for Ladies.

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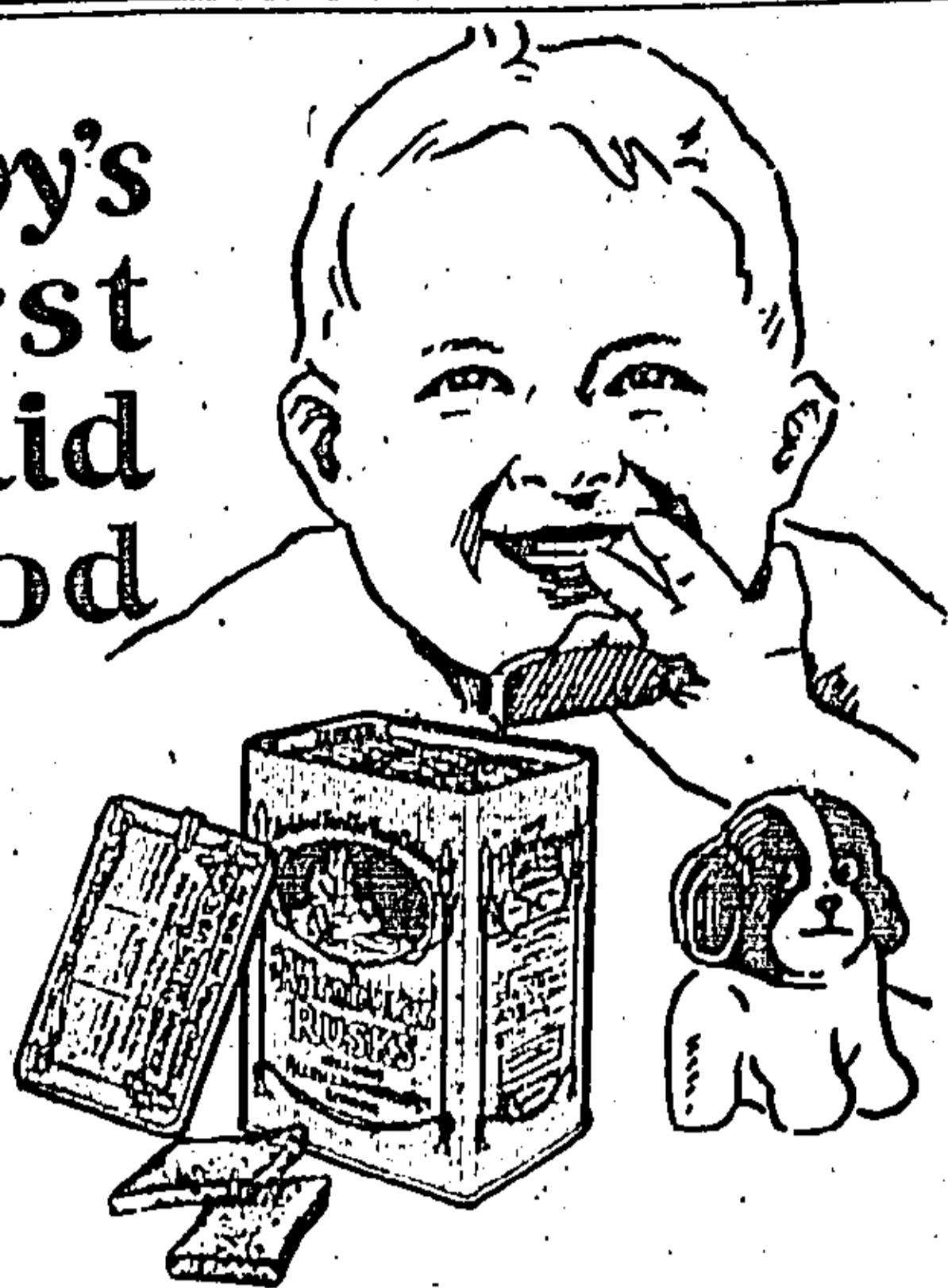
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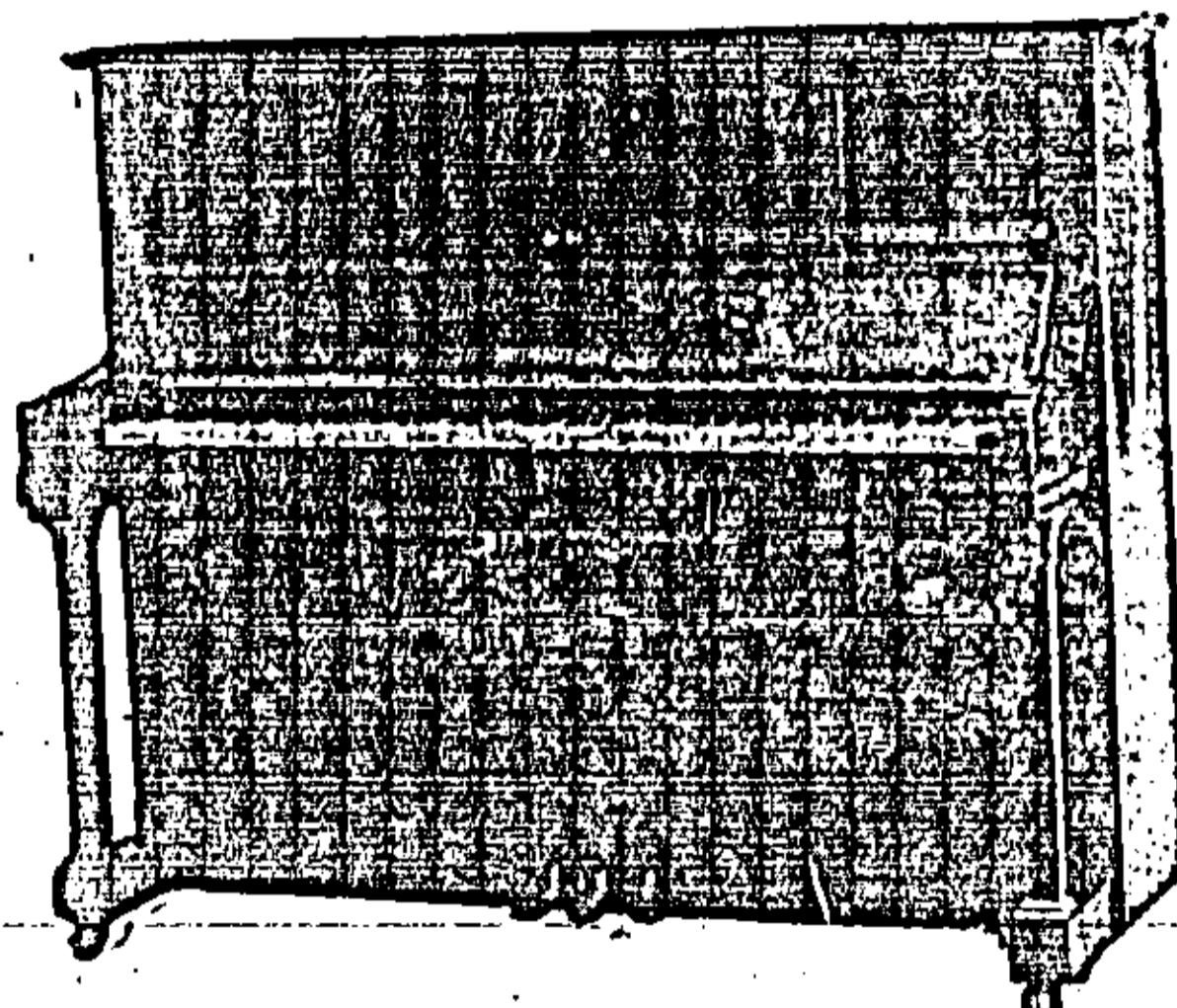
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WHEN there are rumblings inside the Conservative Party you may be sure the "party machine" is getting under way.

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Its purpose is the dissemination of Tory current. Every elector is a potential consumer. M.P.'s are its commercial travellers. They are also its puppets.

Sometimes, such as in the case of those who backed Mr. Randolph Churchill at Wavertree, they refuse to be puppets. They try to change the voltage. Then, of course, the sparks begin to fly. The machine itself cannot deal with these "rebels," but there are certain to be repercussions.

Disraeli began it.

This Conservative machine was to a large extent the creation of Disraeli. After the general election of 1868 he set himself to clothe the skeleton organisation which then existed. He had his reward in the victory of 1874.

To-day the machine is an efficient instrument, democratic in its constitution, powerful in its operation.

There are two main sections. One is known as the Conservative Party organisation (the "Central Office"), the other is the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associations. The organisation is administrative; the National Union representative and deliberative.

At the head of the organisation is Lord Stonehaven. He is the chairman—like the chairman of directors. He has three deputy chairmen—Sir George Hennessey, Sir George Bowyer, M.P., and Lady Palmouth.

The managing director—he is actually the general director—is Sir Robert Topping. He is the chief paid official of the party, the professional politician.

His two principal colleagues are Miss Majorie Maxse, the chief organisation officer, and Sir Patrick

maintained. Pamphlets and leaflets are showered over the country. There is a research department, and many other departments.

But, although headquarters has a list of hundreds of potential candidates, it does not send candidates to constituencies. Every constituency organisation chooses its own. The machine will, however, always advise on the suitability of a candidate, and, if requested, will even send a few samples "on approval."

When a candidate becomes an M.P. Central Office still keeps a watchful eye upon him.

It has a dossier for each Conservative member. Every vote he has given in Parliament is recorded. If he has voted against his party there is a black mark against him. Every speech he has made is noted.

Disciplinary Power

But the machine, as I have said, has no disciplinary powers against members. If a member defies it in Parliament—makes an injudicious speech, opposes party policy, fails in his attendance, or votes against his party, it is the Chief Whip of the party, Captain David Margeson, who sits in judgment on him. By withdrawing the Whip he can banish the offender to the political wilderness.

If the offence is committed outside the House Central Office will frown on him, but it is left to his local association to take action against him. They can refuse to adopt him at the next election.

The other part of the machine, the National Union of Conservative and Unionist Associations—famously known as the National Union—is the federation to which the constituency organisations are affiliated.

By a chain of constituency, area and national committees and conferences, it brings all sections of the organisation into touch with the leader. It has its annual conference when party policy is formulated and criticised.

The Central Council

Its governing body is the Central Council. This council is to be the tribunal to try the rebels of Wavertree. It is representative of all the component organisations in the party, bringing together the dames of the Primrose League and the eager "Imps" (the Junior Imperial League); the Conservative clubmen, representative of 1,800 clubs and 400,000 members; the women's section of the party, the agents and the women organisers.

The chairman of the council is Miss Regina Evans, one of the best-known women workers in the Conservative cause.

These, then, are the components of the machine of the greatest party in the country, and its engineers. There is still another important functionary: the treasurer. His name is Lord Greenwood, a former Liberal. He is the treasurer.

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Impossible To Trace
A new idea is black towels for the bathroom. But the difficult problem then arises: Has the small boy of the house really had a wash or not?

Answer to Correspondent
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Consolation Vanishes
It is how said that whisky will not cure a cold. Oh, doctor, don't say that!

UNLUCKY
Statistics show that of every ten persons who enter post offices, six want stamps, two want to telephone and one wants to send a telegram. The other one is still trying to get a little attention.

CITY CAMEO
"Had a quiet day?"
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Lump Of Life
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Poor old Brown has been disappointed in love too. The girl married him.

On The Carpet
1. Her husband's cigarette ash.
2. Her husband.



"What is that noise at the Jones's?"
"I expect they're having one of their bouts of not talking to each other."

Suburban Silhouette
"See anything particularly cheap at the sales?"
"Lots of husbands."

The Little Difference
A woman writer says a bacon-and-egg breakfast fills her with horror. It fills me with bacon and eggs.

Answers to Correspondent
"Does a man become more sensible after marriage?"
Yes, but it's too late.

Making Both Ends Meet
Baby sucking her toes.

PAH!
Beer judges, so I read, do not swallow the beer they taste. Cowards!

Three Reasons Why I wouldn't Lend Jones Money.
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10.30-11.30 a.m.—A Relay of the Service from the Union Church, Preacher: The Rev. E. G. Powell.

Order Of Service
Voluntary.
Hymn—Praise to the holiest.
Invocation and Lord's Prayer.
Hymn—Praise God for his Salvation.
Scripture Reading.
Hymn—Rock of Ages.
Prayer.

Offertory and Offertory Prayer.
Hymn—When I survey the wondrous cross,
Sermon.
Hymn—Thy Great Redeemer Praise.

National Anthem.
Benediction.
11.30 a.m.-12 Noon.—Chinese Recorded Music.

12-12.45 p.m.—A Relay of the Service from the Hop Yat Church, (Chinese).
12.45-2.30 p.m.—European Recorded Music.

1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.
Water Music Suite (Handel, arr. Sir H. Harty).

Excerpts from "The Mikado" (Gilbert and Sullivan)
Ballet Egyptian Suite (Luigini).

Concert Items
Instrumental—
Trauerlied (Schumann, arr. Walter)
William Tell—Andante (Pastorale) (Rossini, arr. Walter)
Masque Orchestra of Cellos.

Songs—
Old Rustic Bridge by the Mill (Skelly)
A Dream of Paradise (Gray)
Walter Glynn (Tenor).

Violin Solos—
Waltz in A Flat Major (Brahms)
Danza Espanola (de Falla, arr. Kreisler)
Isolde Menges.

Songs—
Carcelera (Prison Song) (Chapli)
Serenata (Toati)
Amelita Galli-Curci (Soprano).

Piano Solos—
Three Chinese Pieces (Chasins)
Abram Chasins.

Songs—
Siciliana di Pergolesi (Pergolesi)
O Sole Mio (Di Capua)
Marino Stabile (Baritone).

Cello Solos—
Caprice (Dellus)
Elegie (Dellus)
Beatrice Harrison.

2.30 p.m.—Close Down.
4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
7-10.30 p.m.—European Programme.

7-7.10 p.m.—Organ Concerto in B Flat (Handel) Mr. E. Bullock.
7.10-7.30 p.m.—A Recital by Elsie Suddaby (Soprano).

1. Nymphs and Shepherds (Purcell).
2. My Mother bids me bind my hair (Haydn).

3. Cradle Song (Schubert).
4. Waltz in Spring (Schubert).
5. Serenade (Schubert).

6. (a) The Rosebud; (b) Hark! Hark! the Lark (Schubert).
7.80-8 p.m.—Concerto in E Minor, Op. 64 (Mendelssohn) played by Fritz Kreisler (Violin) and the State Opera Orchestra.

8 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.
8.05-8.37 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.
Calipso of Bagdad — Overture (Boieldieu).

Chinese Street Serenade (Siede).
Japanese Lantern Dance (Yoshitomo).
Saschinka (Schirrmann).
Stephanie Gavotte (Czibulka).

Barcarole (Jarnoffelt).
Parade of the City Guards (Jessel).
A Musical Snuff Box (Ladow).

8.37-9.10 p.m.—"Hawatha"—"The Death of Minnehaha" (Coloridge-Taylor).....Royal Choral Society.
9.10-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.
A Light Pianoforte Recital by Mildred Murray-Lewis.

9.30-9.47 p.m.—Two Concert Waltzes.
Invitation to the Waltz (Weber, Op. 65).
Zigeunerlied (Lehar).

9.47-10 p.m.—Vocal Gems.
Jolly Roger.
Miss Hook of Holland (Rubens).

10 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins.
10.05-10.30 p.m.—Dance Music.
10.30 p.m.—Close Down.

LOCAL SCHOOL OF ACCOUNTANCY
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The Hong Kong School of Accountancy, established exactly one year ago, is celebrating its first anniversary in honour of the occasion with a tea party at the Gloucester Restaurant on to-morrow at 5 p.m.

The Gold Medal awarded by the International Institute of Accountants to Mr. T. K. Young, a student of the School, and "official notices" to those who took high passes in the same examination (December, 1934), will be presented during this function, by Mr. Ko Loung Hoe, a member of the Board of Supervisors.

The School has been appointed as the official examination centre for Hong Kong and South China by the Institute of Commerce, Incorporated, of England.

GOVERNMENT APPOINTMENTS ARE ANNOUNCED

Mr. E. H. Williams As
Chief Assistant
To S.C.A.

CONSULATE CHANGES

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint Mr. Ernest Hillias Williams to be Chief Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from April 3, 1935.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to nominate Mr. Lo Man-kam as a member of the Court of the University of Hong Kong for a further period of three years, with effect from March 24, 1935.

The appointment of Mr. V. Sorby to be a member of the Advisory Committee of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from March 27, 1935, is gazetted.

MR. WATSON'S RE-ELECTION
The appointment of Mr. Maurice Murray Watson to be a member of the Medical Board for a further term of three years, is gazetted with effect from March 5, 1935.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to recognise, provisionally and pending instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, Mr. Porphyrio Maria Nolasco da Silva as in charge of the Consulate for Portugal in Hong Kong.

It is notified that during the absence on leave of Mr. M. J. Quist, Consul-General for the Netherlands in Hong Kong, Mr. G. M. Eynanck will be in charge of the Netherlands-Consulate-General.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

The Bishop of Hong Kong, the Rt. R. O. Hall, will confirm 24 candidates at the Kowloon Tong Anglican Church at 9 a.m. to-day.

A tea dance will be held at the Repulse Bay Hotel at 4.30 p.m. A half-hourly bus service will operate on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

The Kowloon Dock Whist Drives are being resumed. The first will be held in the K.D.R.C. Reading Room at Kowloon Dock next Tuesday, at 9 p.m.

The R.M.S. Empress of Canada is due in Hong Kong on Friday next at 7 a.m. and will leave for Manila the same day at 5 p.m.

The annual meeting of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce will be held on April 17, when 10 supervisors will be elected to manage the general election of officials for the ensuing two years.

The annual meeting of the Hong Kong Ministering League will be held at the Helena May Institute next Tuesday, at 10.30 a.m.

An election of a Justice of the Peace to serve in place of Mr. J. L. McPherson on the Licensing Board is to take place at the Supreme Court on April 16.

Mrs. Pelham, wife of Mr. G. C. Pelham, British Trade Commissioner, is leaving for Home on the s.s. Ranpura on June 1.

One case of diphtheria and one of typhoid fever were reported in Kowloon for the 24 hours ended on Friday.

Under the auspices of the Hong Kong University Law and Commerce Society, Mr. T. A. Martin, A.S.A.A. will address the Society on "Profits and Dividends" next Tuesday, at 8.30 p.m. in the Union Assembly Hall of the University. The general public is cordially invited.

By the kind permission of Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., a rally of Wolf Cub packs will be held on the Volunteer Parade ground at 8 p.m. next, Saturday. The programme comprises 14 items, commencing with an entry of the cubs and a Grand Howl. At the conclusion of the rally the award of the Totem Pole will be made. There will be a small charge for tea for visitors.

The name of Jemadar Balwant Singh, I.M.D., of the Indian Subordinate Medical Staff, has been deleted from the list of persons authorised to sign medical certificates of the cause of death for the purposes of Births and Deaths Registration, it is announced in the current issue of the Government Gazette.

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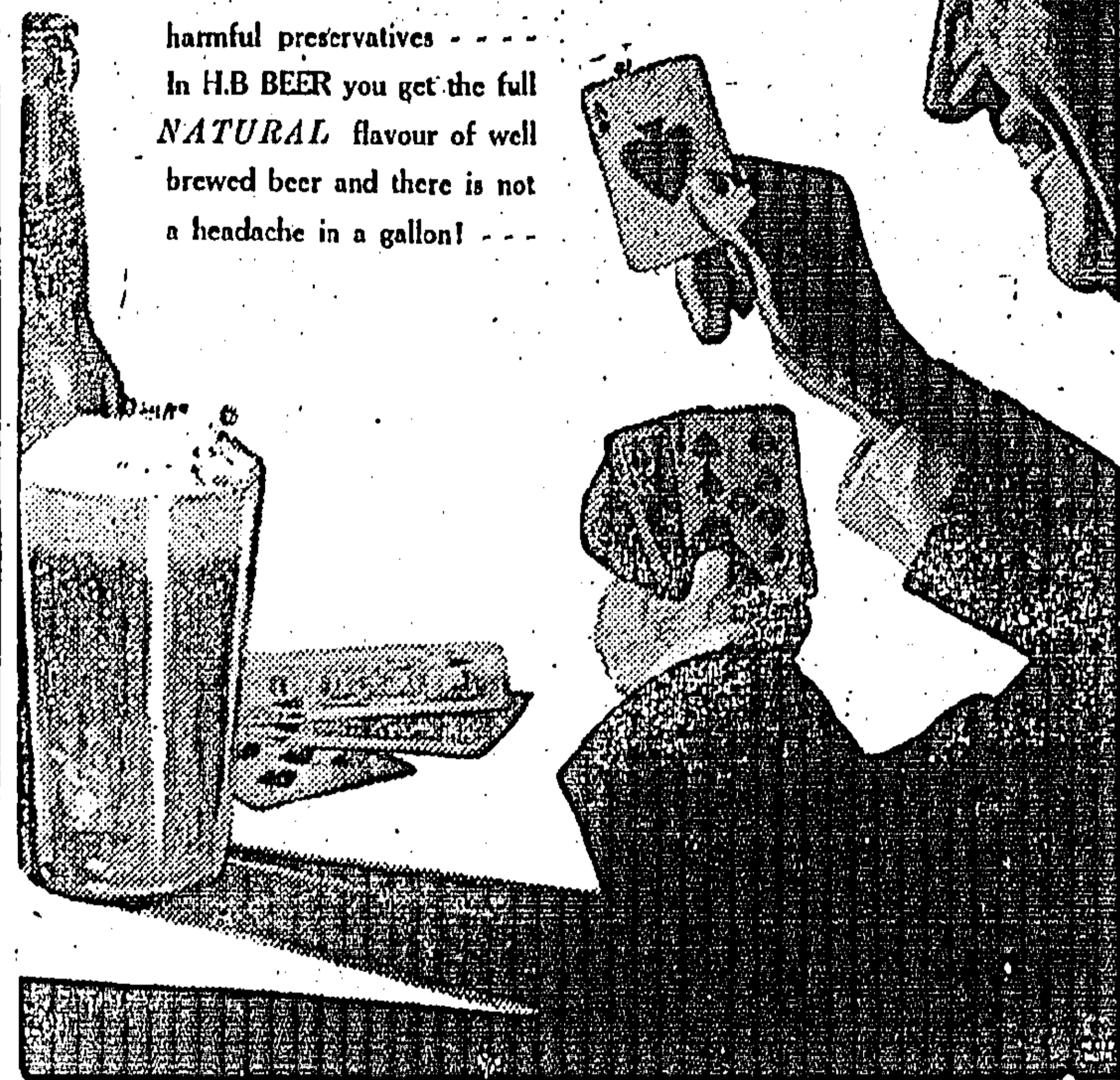
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SCOUT FUNCTION AT FLAGSTAFF HOUSE

THE PASSING HOUR

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Only actual appearance on the stage can reveal the histrionic resources of any community, and fairly wide wanderings have convinced me that there is a great deal of talent that never reveals itself at all, however, firmly the professionals may affirm that the percentage of those who can "put it over" is very small. In stage management and presentation we shall be the poorer for Mr. Campbell's departure, and the University especially will miss him so soon after young Woolley's exit; but there will be all the more chance for the new stars that have not yet been put on the map.

LAW AND SOCIAL LIFE

THERE was only one feeling at the end of His Honour Chief Justice's address to the English Association on Tuesday night, that his audience would have liked him to go on for another half an hour. The ordinary layman is inclined to think that the ideal which every profession should set before itself is to make itself unnecessary, or as near as may be. One vision of Utopia would be that Doctors should make conditions so healthy that we should never need to consult them; and clearly if we followed all the maxims we got from the pulpit we should need no clergy. But the tendency of English law is to introduce a visit to a Solicitor as part of every transaction. Indeed His Honour confessed that there was some truth in the remark that nowadays everything was either illegal or fattening. Elasticity is all very well, but it means that after we have done our best according to our knowledge and belief, the elastic may stretch too conveniently for the other man. The reason why so few complaints are made is that amendments and reforms seem to make things worse.

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The controlling authority of the Troop is the O. C. Military School in Kowloon, at the present time Lieut. Colonel D. C. Wilson, R.A. Their Headquarters are at Gun Club Hill and their Colours red and royal blue.

Initial funds for the raising of the Troop were collected by Colonel J. H. Thoms, R.A., now no longer in the Colony, who circularised the various units in the Garrison, Lieut. G. Ross, R.A.P.C., kindly consenting to become the Troop Treasurer.

Work Of The Troop
During the last year the Troop has held eight week-end camps of varying length, totalling 14 nights under canvas, the senior boys being the guests of Lieut. Colonel E. R. Macpherson at Cheung Chau for four days at the time of the Chinese New Year, when they ran a very successful Patrol Camp.

"They made numerous hikes into the New Territories and already possess a fairly sound knowledge of the country."

The summer week-ends have been devoted to Bathing Parties, the Troop having taken third place in the Annual Association Swimming Sports.

"Naturally enough, during the first year of its existence very few budgets could be obtained, owing to the amount of necessary basic training to put in, but I am informed that the boys have settled down to that side of scouting now and during the last three months the following budgets have been gained by various Scouts: Ambulance, Swimming, Rescuer, Cook, Friend to Animals, Athlete, Healthman and Interpreter."

"On December 28 last, a Troop Christmas Party was held, invitations being sent out to many children of the Garrison in addition to the brothers and sisters of the Scouts, totalling a gathering of well over 70."

"Later on the Party developed into an 'At Home' for the parents and an impromptu concert was run."

"On July 25, the Troop amalgamated with the 4th Hong Kong 'Murray' Troop and gave their joint assistance at the Benefit Concert for the widow and family of the late Sergt. Richardson, the latter's son

being a member of the Troop."

Wolf Cubs
"It is of interest to note that the Wolf Cub Pack was started as recently as January 28 this year, with 17 on the roll."

"The pack has already made much progress and has fully justified its formation. Although by far the youngest Pack in the Colony, the Cubs have every intention of making an earnest attempt in the Inter-Pack Competition to be held on Saturday next, and I trust this attempt may be crowned with success."

"The coming activities of the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Troop include an eight-day Easter Camp at Cheung Chau from the April 17 to 24, and participation in the Scout and Guide Jamboree on May 8, while plans are already being made for a second Joint Concert to be held about the end of this year."

The King's Colour

"I should like to add that the King's Colour that I have just had the honour of presenting to the Troop has kindly been given by Colonel Bilderbeck and Lieut. Colonel E. R. Macpherson, and I feel sure that both the Officers, Scouts, and Cubs of the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Troop would wish to join the General-Officer-Commanding and myself in thanking these two senior Officers for their generous gift and in making it possible for the Troop to possess a real King's Colour of their very own."

"I feel sure that they will guard, honour, and reverence it, and that their pride in such a wonderful possession will be an added incentive to their becoming good and efficient Scouts and Cubs."

Scoutmaster Thanked

"Our warmest thanks are due to Mr. G. R. Ross, the Group Scoutmaster, who has not only raised the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Troop, but has devoted, and still does devote, so much of his spare time and energy in training the Troop, and keeping alive the true Scout spirit in them and to all those other Officers who assist him with such unselfishness and zeal."

"We have all watched with great interest the Scout Display this afternoon and the Inter-Patrol Competition, and are unanimous, I feel sure, in not only congratulating the Scouts and Wolf Cubs themselves

on their efficiency, but also their Officers, who have expended so much of their time in instructing them."

"That this Troop will grow and prosper there is little doubt, and in the years to come I hope the names of those who raised it, and in other ways so gallantly worked for it, may never be forgotten."

Those Present

Amongst those present were Major General and Mrs. Horrett, Brigadier General and Mrs. Seth-Smith, Major and Mrs. Roupell, Col. and Mrs. Bilderbeck, Lt. Col. McPherson, Col. and Mrs. Henrie, Capt. and Mrs. Maurice-Jones, Capt. Clough Taylor, Rev. and Mrs. Davies, Rev. and Mrs. Bateman, Mrs. Kierke, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, Rev. N. V. Halward, F. A. Engels (District Scoutmaster, Shanghai), C. Low (Group Scoutmaster, 4th Hong Kong Troop), G. R. Ross, P. Connolly, D. Paul (A.S.M.), G. Maddock (Cub Master), R. J. Dixon and J. Granham (Deputy Scoutmaster).

The Drum and Fife Band of the Royal Welch Fusiliers (by kind permission of Lt. Col. Hindson and Officers) played during the afternoon.

RAW RUBBER PRICES

Latest Quotations From Singapore

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore for raw rubber:—

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FAR EAST HEALTH REPORT

Two cases of small-pox in Hong Kong and Macao, three in Shanghai, 149 in Calcutta, and 117 in Bombay were reported in the health bulletin of Eastern ports for the week ending last Saturday. During the same period 187 cases of cholera were reported from Calcutta and Wolf Cubs themselves

Programme For Two-Day Race Meeting At Valley

SECOND DAY

The programme for the two-day Fourth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday, April 20, and Monday, April 22, is as follows:—

1.—12.30 p.m.—Canton Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance \$5. From Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

2.—1.00 p.m.—Wuchow Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season that have won \$1,000 or less in stakes. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

3.—2.30 p.m.—New Bridge Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

4.—3.00 p.m.—Fatham Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Griffins of this Season barred. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

5.—3.30 p.m.—St. George's Plate.—A Cup presented: with \$500 added for Winner. Second \$250. Third \$150. A Handicap for China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

6.—4.00 p.m.—Honam Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won \$200 or more in stakes. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No ten races anywhere at any time. Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

7.—4.30 p.m.—Shek Poi Handicap.—Winner \$550. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winner of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1935, barred. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

8.—5.00 p.m.—Swatow Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

9.—5.30 p.m.—St. Kilda Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance \$5. Five Furlongs.

10.—6.00 p.m.—Kowloon Stakes.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won less than \$200 in stakes. Weight for inches as per scale. Jockey Allowance. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

11.—6.30 p.m.—Swatow Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for Swatow Handicap (Races Nos. 8 and 11). Entries will be divided into first and second sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

The Daily Double will be held on the fourth and sixth races.

Entries close at noon on Thursday, April 11, 1935.

Monday, April 22, 1935

1.—12.30 p.m.—Sugar Loaf Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season that have won \$250 or less in stakes. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

2.—1.00 p.m.—Blue Pool Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season that have won \$400 or more in stakes. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

3.—2.30 p.m.—Morrison Hill Handicap.—Winner \$500. Second \$225. Third \$125. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

4.—3.00 p.m.—Easter Stakes.—Winner \$500. Second \$250. Third \$150. For China Ponies. Weight 145 lb. of 2 races, 7 lb.; of 3 races, 10 lb.; of 4 or more races 15 lb. penalty. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

5.—3.30 p.m.—Coolgardie Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "D" Class. Winner of the St. Kilda Handicap, barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

6.—4.00 p.m.—Kellett Handicap.—(First Section).—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Kellett Handicap (Races Nos. 6 and 10). Entries will be divided into first and second sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

7.—4.30 p.m.—Nicholson Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Winners of \$2,000 or more in stakes, barred. Entrance \$5. One and a Quarter Miles.

8.—5.00 p.m.—Boa Vista Handicap.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Entrance \$5. Six Furlongs.

9.—5.30 p.m.—Broken Hill Handicap.—Winner \$450. Second \$250. Third \$150. For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1935, barred. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

10.—6.00 p.m.—Kellett Handicap.—(Second Section).—Winner \$450. Second \$200. Third \$100. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Entrance \$5. One Mile.

11.—6.30 p.m.—Pokfulam Stakes.—Winner \$400. Second \$175. Third \$75. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Winners at Race Meetings of this Club barred. Weight: 10 lb. under weight for inches. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. Jockeys: 2 lb. penalty for each race won: maximum penalty 10 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance \$5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

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Outspoken Criticism Of "The Young Idea"

Where The A.D.C. Failed To Retain Standard

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It is more than fitting therefore that their efforts should be received in the friendliest manner possible and it cannot be argued that the average Hong Kong audience is lacking in this respect. Our local Press is also prone to generosity in their reports of the various Amateur Productions, and, whilst allotting praise where praise is due, is decidedly restrained when making reference to weaknesses.

When men and women (and this especially applies to the men who have their ordinary day's work to perform before going to rehearsals) are willing to give up their spare time for at least two months in order to provide entertainment for the rest of the community it is only fair that any shortcomings should be glossed over and that the "successes" should be emphasized.

"Gingering" Required

But just occasionally it is a good tonic for all that a full criticism should be made . . . a criticism given in all good faith, without fear of hurting anyone's feelings or of giving offence, and with the sole object of "gingering" our local players up to greater heights and thus to maintain that "London" standard that from usage we have been accustomed to expect from our local A.D.C.

"The Young Idea" is now a thing of the past so that whatever is now said cannot have any adverse effect on the reception of the performance. The Press have lauded it to the skies with headlines "Another A.D.C. Triumph" . . . "Well-balanced cast make the most of 'The Young Idea' etc., etc., and audiences have been and gone and the Box Office receipts have, it is hoped, been entirely satisfactory.

Not Up To Standard

Let us now get down to solid criticism.

The play itself was well chosen and nothing further need be said on that score. The Hong Kong public, as a whole, prefers something light and amusing and in "The Young Idea" they got it. The spot light therefore is turned on the "production" and the players, and the first question to be asked is "Was it up to the usual A.D.C. standard?" The answer is most emphatically in the negative.

Firstly, let us study the Production side. Much of the success of the individual actors and actresses is due to the producer, and their failures also reflect on his work in rehearsal. Several of the movements in "The Young Idea" were distinctly awkward, and on some occasions the stage was unbalanced, whilst in Act III the back-cloth would have disgraced a village concert. The love scenes were all "flops" (more about them later), the boots of the "hunters" were spotlessly clean the furniture was hardly that of a "country" house and the general effect on the first night was that a dress rehearsal was being staged a fortnight too early, leaving all the polish to be put on later.

Two Amateurish Examples

Why, oh why was "George" allowed to stand in Act I, talking to his children, side on to the audience with his left hand in his coat pocket, looking as if he had lost his arm in the late war, and why in Act III was the Italian maid practically thrust into the wings and hidden completely behind "George"? It was so very amateurish, and lacked the almost professional touch that we have grown to expect from our A.D.C. Now for the players!

Cyril Champkin was not particularly well cast in the role of "George," and failed to convince. He started weakly in Act I, improved as the act progressed, reached his best in Act II, but tailed off badly in Act III to reach the depths in the love scene with his first wife, just before the final curtain. This love scene was a complete "flop," and was utterly unconvincing. A great pity, as the possibilities were enormous and one could hardly conceive

a more dramatic ending to a light comedy.

"Children" Miscast
Again in the case of the "children" the casting was at fault. These children were supposed to have been brought up abroad, to have been inoculated with Continental ideas of life and to be in complete contrast to the other characters. But what did we find? Betty Fair, as Gerda, looked and comported herself as a rather gauche English (or Irish) young thing who had never been abroad in her life, whilst Donald MacAllister rather reminded one of a certain type (not very numerous thank the Lord) that is occasionally turned out by our senior Universities. He is obviously an experienced amateur actor and was good both in his movements and diction and should prove a great asset to the A.D.C. in future production, but in this case his talents were badly handicapped by being cast for a part that suited him none too well.

Beryl Gough, as Jennifer, fitted her part well and gave an excellent rendering of the role right up to the point of her love scene with her husband. Right through this scene she maintained her high standard and her expressions and reactions were excellent up to the moment when George took her in his arms. Then came the "flop."

Myrtle Brown's Success
Myrtle Brown did well as Cecily, which was a distinctly hard part. Cecily was a remarkably nasty piece of work who was not expected to get any sympathy from the audience, but what the producer apparently forgot when casting our Myrtle for the part was that at least 50 per cent. of the audience would be men, and that those extraordinary creatures who extend their sympathy to any outstandingly pretty woman no matter what her morals may be or how badly she may behave. It could well be imagined that had Myrtle Brown been cast as Gerda an enormous success in that role would have been achieved.

Andrew Mackinlay, as Rodney Masters, was easily the biggest mistake in casting. Rodney was supposed to be no end of a lad with the girls, to have a way with him and to be the answer to a maiden's prayer. Now was he, as depicted in our latest production? If "George's" love scene was a "flop" his were worse. His lines became utterly unconvincing, his speech stilted and his expression extremely poor. It appeared just as if both he and Cecily were conscious all the time of a jealous husband sitting in the back of the stalls with a loaded shot gun lovingly nursed on his knees. The result was too pathetic for words. One would have thought that any young man would know how to "grab" the young woman with whom he was so desperately in love, especially when she was willing and as pretty as Cecily.

He-man Wanted

What are our young men coming to? They don't seem to know a good thing when they meet it. And what was the matter with the producer? Is this the way he himself believes that passionate love affairs are usually conducted? If so he had better go out into the street and bring in the first real he-man he meets and from him gather a little instruction.

When it is realised that the part of Priscilla Hartleberry was taken at less than a week's notice by Joan Mollison that young lady is to be congratulated on her performance, but she must learn not to over-act, and that when another character has taken the stage it belongs to that character *pro tem*, and that others must subordinate themselves to him (or her), and attention should not be taken away from him (or her) by over-play. This is a fault that no doubt experience will correct, but it should constantly be borne in mind.

Minor Role Faults
The remainder of the cast were in what is generally termed minor roles, but it must not be forgotten how very important such minor roles are to the success (or otherwise) of a play. They are extremely important, and it is far better for the individual to play a minor role brilliantly than to play a big part with only passable success. This is a point that most

"GOOD FRIDAY"

Special Services
At St. John's

A performance of John Massfield's "Good Friday" will form part of the special evening services in St. John's Cathedral during Holy Week on Wednesday and Thursday, April 17 and 18 at 9 p.m.

Programmes will be available to-morrow and may be obtained at the Cathedral Office on weekdays from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., noon and on Saturdays and on Sundays before and after services.

Holders of programmes arriving before 8.50 p.m. will make certain of a place in the Nave.

BARRACK STORE RIFLED

Lance Sergeant Stevens of the Royal Engineers, Wellington Barracks, reports that between December 1, 1934 and March 10, 1935, someone broke into the Barrack store and removed three electric table fans valued at \$75.

amateurs do not fully appreciate as in their own minds they so often imagine themselves as taking the stage most of the time and showing the audience what they can do; whereas in actual fact they so often show the audience what they cannot do.

One of the greatest faults of our A.D.C.'s rendering of "The Young Idea" was its "flatness"—lack of light and shade of voice, deportment and expression in the individuals cast for the various parts. From this Helen Prior, as Julia Cragworthy, stood out in a most conspicuous manner. Neither in voice, deportment nor appearance did she in any way resemble anyone else in the cast, and she came as a very welcome contrast in scenes where flatness was the order of the day. Genald Nigel as Claud Eccles hardly conveyed the idea of the county type of young "horsey" man. This applies especially to his appearance in Act II when he presented himself in his 'pink' looking rather as if he had been dragged backwards through a gorse bush. With a little care he could have smartened himself up very considerably.

Eric Brooks and Vivienne Blackburn were adequate and Robert Barry as Huddle, although in the smallest role, gave an excellent impression of a country butler who was not unacquainted with the contents of his master's wine cellar.

Two Bright Spots

And now we come to the two brightest spots in the whole production . . . spots where for once the casting and rendering of the parts could hardly have been improved upon—Donald O'Kieffe as the American, Hiram, and Renee Toledano as Maria, the Italian maid.

Donald O'Kieffe, to put it mildly, "got across." Hiram was not an easy part in that it would have been extremely easy to burlesque and so would have lost most of its amusement and attraction. Donald O'Kieffe handled it with due restraint, but at the same time got every atom out of the part that there was to be had. He is indeed to be congratulated on his performance which stood out as an interpretation of a character study.

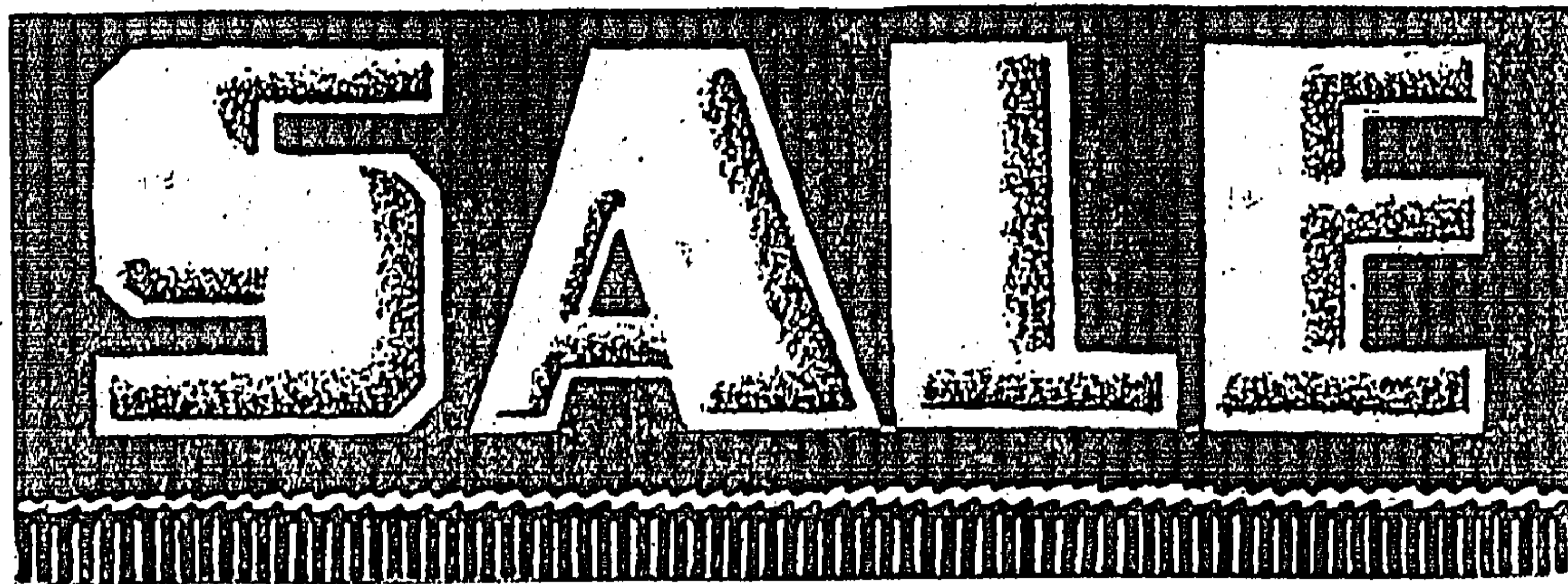
Emphasis has already been stressed on how much better it is to play a small part really well than to attempt a larger one with qualified success, and an excellent example of this was Renee Toledano's rendering of the Italian maid, Maria. It was a little gem of art that stood out above all others. Renee Toledano was the Italian maid down to her finger tips and smallest gesture, and never could the audience have imagined her as anything else. The one error that she committed was in hiding herself on one occasion behind George and nearly fading away into the wings, but this would appear to be a production error rather than the error of an individual of the cast.

Apologies are tendered to all for this ruthless tearing to pieces of a "show" which provided a very pleasant and amusing evening to the general public of Hong Kong, but a little outspoken criticism, if given and taken in the right way, very often has its uses and is an incentive to further effort and a higher standard.

Our thanks are due to all those who gave up so much of their time to provide us with an evening's amusement, and because we burst forth in a super-critical vein it must not be assumed that we are ungrateful. We are not, and wish the greatest success to the A.D.C.'s next effort.

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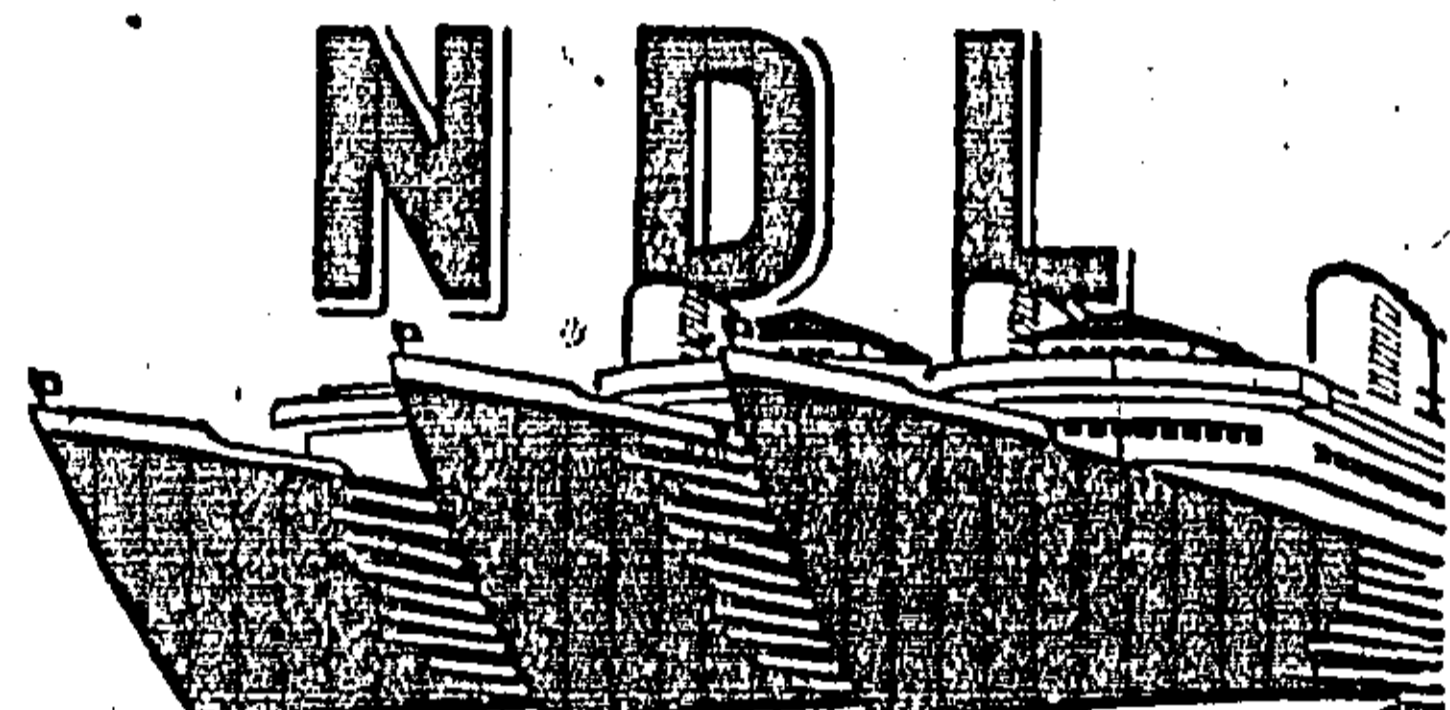
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DEWAR'S



THE WHISKY OF DISTINCTION

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The Bishop's Prophecy

BISHOP Hall can always be relied on to set his audience thinking, even if immediate agreement be withheld; and no better service could be performed by the President of the Hong Kong Branch of the League of Nations Union. In his address of Friday evening he touched upon at least half a dozen general subjects on which opinions have been divided ever since men began to think at all on questions of government and relationships of States, and opinions are likely to differ for a long time yet.

In regard to more concrete problems of to-day the Bishop pinned his reputation as a prophet to the statement that "there will be no major war within our generation." We are not disposed to quarrel with that prophecy, though certain forms of war that might not be called "major" might be disastrous enough. There are, he told us, three sources of motive for peace, the international idealism, religion, and economic necessity. The first has certainly proved a very broken reed, and so far from becoming stronger as a support for the edifice of world peace we are inclined to say that it is not only weak, but growing steadily weaker. Rightly or wrongly large classes of men who were not only internationalists in theory but were actually unconscious of racial prejudice have distinctly narrowed their sympathies in recent years. At the root of the change is the suspicion or discovery that peacetime friendly feeling will not stand the strain of excitement; in face of the automatic drawing apart when national sentiment is challenged it seems safer to keep peacetime confidence in check with a certain reserve.

The most popular study of the hour is psychology, into which much of the enthusiasm that our predecessors put into experimental physical science has been poured with the usual results of one-sided exaggeration and pyramids of deduction piled on a very slender amount of investigation. Had it been in England instead of Vienna that the most recent theories were started, we should have had much less dogmatism about sex, and a great deal more enquiry into the working of the "herd instinct." It is a simple statement of fact that no study could have a more practical bearing on the questions of State policy that occur in different parts of our Empire. What are the limits of our particular "herd"? Is it possible to include in it all the different strains of nationality that acknowledge the King as their Sovereign? If so, what would be the best organisation to avoid the feeling of inadequate self-expression which is the cause of most of the live controversies of the moment? Taking only one section, India, is there a herd instinct that is common to the whole peninsula? The only really dividing difference of opinion on that very live question is between those who would say that there is such a link, and those who hold that the only link is the final restraining power of the British Raj. We have nothing to go by but the personal judgment of those who know the country; and who come to contrary conclusions. Will the Boer and the Englishman in South Africa ever come to be unconscious of their descent? Will the Ulsterman and the Free State man in Ireland arrive at unquestioning brotherhood? Everywhere we find that these are the open questions of to-day, and we have nothing that could be called scientific investigation of history or of individual men to test what are the influences that divide or unite.

In Europe there would be no hesitation in saying that the most definite cleavage is between the French and the Germans, who have been fighting each other at intervals for a thousand years about the territory which lies on either side of what is historically merely an artificial boundary line. If we go back to the great migrations we find that on either side of the boundary there are descendants of one people, who became divided by the chance that there was a custom that a chief should apportion his territory between his sons instead of passing the whole to any one of them. Gradually those on the one side came under the influence of the Latin civilisation, and those on the other kept to the old Teutonic cults. But where is the criterion that will lead us aright in drawing boundaries that will unite those who will go on being united?

We do not attach as much significance as the Bishop does to "economic necessity." It is an old saying that "no nation has ever been held back from war by bankruptcy." Money is made by the State, and its validity depends on the feelings of the members of the State, who will ignore all questions of future purchasing power if they feel sufficiently bellicose. We have left alone the application of such enquiries to our own part of the world. The number of subsidiary enquiries that might be suggested are endless; and our local Society might do very useful work in discussing some of the least contentious of them.

**The
PASSING HOUR**
by A. N. M.
A PEACE PLEBISCITE

THERE has been quite a storm in a teacup in England over the very innocent plan of the League of Nations Union to take a popular vote, what in America would be called a "straw vote"—to discover whether the ordinary citizen was still staunch in his support of the principles of the League of Nations. There is everything to be said for such a method of getting at popular opinion, for an election is decided by so many cross currents and such a variety of appeals that it is usually possible for any party to allege that the particular programme was never given a chance. And there is no denying that support of the League, which has been the leading principle of the Foreign Policy of this Government, is at present very much a matter of faith. Though everything that happens is a new argument for collective security and international law, there cannot be any denial of the charge that in major questions the League has not yet been able to function.

LORD ROTHERMERE

THE most prominent opponent of the League is Lord Rothermere, who as far as one can see has no claims at all to be considered a prophet. He has been using his "largest circulations" in favour of the old policy of "splendid isolation," which is quite inapplicable to an age of world wars. Anyhow he started a ballot in Hull and Bristol which turned out very unsatisfactorily for his policy. He therefore turned round and attacked the principle of popular ballots, dubbing the League plebiscite the "Ballot of Blood." It was open to anyone of eighteen years of age to vote, and there were over two million voters in 214 towns and villages. In the result ninety seven per cent. voted in favour of the League principle, ninety three in favour of enforcing the League's decisions by economic pressure, and seventy two per cent. for military sanctions. One can easily think of a few questions that might be put to vote by our local branch of the Union that would certainly arouse keen interest. The only question would be whether the interest would not be too keen. Yet it seems hopeless to settle questions that have not reached the stage of open discussion and good-humoured voting.

THE YOUNG IDEA

THE A.D.C. cannot be accused of lack of enterprise either in choice of plays or in giving opportunities to new members to show what they can do, and that is as it should be; for with so shifting a population we should otherwise soon be left high and dry. It would be very interesting if we could get all the actors and actresses of the ninety seasons of the Club's history to compare note and give us their ideas of the modern play and the modern playwright. Particularly if we could confront them with Mr. Noel Coward himself, who is due here very shortly.

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OVERHEARD

Standardised Speech
People now never come up as Englishmen use to "at the nick of time"; they "appear at the psychological moment." They never "sleep soundly"; they "sleep the sleep of the just," and when they ask their friends to keep a secret it always reads, "Tell it not in Gath."

To End Conflict
"Our King and all his family are for peace. Our Government and Parliament are for peace. Our people are for peace. We cry with one voice for the end of war."
—J. Ramsay MacDonald.

Invention
"People think that invention is labour-saving. It isn't at all; it's labour-creating."

Other Things
"I am a playwright and a great many other things as well."
—George Bernard Shaw.

SCOUT FUNCTION AT FLAGSTAFF HOUSE

MRS. BORRETT PRESENTS CHALLENGE TROPHY

4TH KOWLOON (GARRISON) TROOP HONOURED WITH KING'S COLOURS

A very interesting ceremony took place in the grounds of Flagstaff House yesterday afternoon when Mrs. O. C. Borrett, wife of H.E. Major-General O. C. Borrett, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O. presented the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Boy Scout Troop with the King's Colours, and also the Blanche Borrett Challenge Axe Trophy.

The function commenced with an inspection of the Troop by Mrs. Borrett, after which came exhibitions of Bridge-building, Ambulance Work and Pioneerizing.

Subsequently a competition was held for the Blanche-Borrett Challenge Axe Trophy, which is to be presented annually to the best patrol for Camping and Woodcraft. Each patrol had to erect a tent, tripod and flagstaff. The Eagle Patrol were the winners yesterday.

Presentation Of Colours
At the conclusion of the competition the colours, which were donated to the troop by Col. Bilderbeck and Lt.-Col. McPherson, were presented to Troop-Leader C. Foley, Mrs. Borrett making a very stirring speech and Group Scoutmaster A. R. Ross replying.

Before the Challenge Axe was presented Lt.-Col. McPherson gave a short speech, remarking on the excellence of the display. He went on to say that a few days ago he had suggested to Mrs. Borrett that she should present the colours, and now she had gone a step further by donating the Blanche-Borrett Trophy to the Troop. "This act is typical of Mrs. Borrett's work among the garrison and their families," he said, and added that he thought it very fitting that on the eve of her departure Mrs. Borrett should be presenting the Challenge Trophy.

Saving A Life
Before presenting the letters and warrants to members of the Troop, the Rev. N. V. Halward, Commissioner of Hong Kong, on behalf of the Hong Kong Boy Scouts' Association, thanked Major-General and Mrs. Borrett for allowing the Scouts to have the use of the grounds and also for presenting the Colours and Trophy; he also thanked Col. Bilderbeck and Lt.-Col. McPherson for donating the colours.

He then said that he had a letter signed by H.E. the Governor, Sir William Peel, to present to Patrol

FIVE YEARS AGO

(Extracts from the Sunday Herald of April 6, 1930).

At the Kam Ling Hotel, His Honour, Sir Henry Gollan, C.B.E., LL.D., was the guest of honour of Sir Shou-sun Chow and other Chinese friends at a farewell dinner in honour of his retirement.

After one of the finest games seen in the Colony for some time, the Somerset won the Senior Shield by defeating the Navy by the odd goal in three after extra time had been played. Early (Somerset) and Gray (Navy) were the sharpshooters.

Happy Day, ridden by Mr. "Gilbert" Harriman, appropriately wound up a good day's sport at the Third Extra Race Meeting at Happy Valley by winning the last event, and, incidentally, paying his backers over \$20.

"HERALD" CALENDAR

April 4, 1891.—The Tsarevitch and Prince George of Greece arrived in Hong Kong.

April 5, 1847.—Bogus Forts destroyed by General D'Aguiar.

April 6, 1846.—Convention signed for the admission of Europeans into Canton within two months.

April 6, 1922.—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales visited Hong Kong.

April 7, 1860.—Hong Kong Mint opened.

April 7, 1913.—Great powder explosion at Canton.

April 9, 1878.—Great tornado in Canton (2,000 houses destroyed and 10,000 lives lost).

April 9, 1911.—Tartar General at Canton assassinated.

Leader Colin Foley, who was instrumental in saving the life of a fellow-pupil at the Central British School. On January 25 one of the pupils of the C.B.S. cut his arm badly when he accidentally put it through a window. Foley immediately applied his scouting knowledge and put a tourniquet on the boy's arm, thus helping to save his life.

Warrants were then presented to Group Scoutmaster G. R. Ross, and Assistant Scoutmaster P. Connolly.

Mrs. Borrett's Speech
In presenting the Colours, Mrs. Borrett said:—

"I feel sure it will be of interest to you to hear something about the raising and activities of the 4th Kowloon (Garrison) Troop Boy Scouts."

"This Troop was officially recognised and registered on March 16, 1930, and was raised by its present Group Scoutmaster, Mr. G. R. Ross, with a nucleus of six boys on the roll."

"Its present strength is as follows:—24 Scouts, 20 Cubs and 6 Officers, the latter being Group Scoutmaster, Mr. G. R. Ross; Assist. Scoutmasters, Mr. P. Connolly and Mr. D. Paul; Rover Instructor, Mr. R. J. Dixon; Cubmaster, Mr. G. Maddick; and Assist. Cubmaster, Mr. J. H. Pilsworth."

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Hong Kong Personalities



MR. VINCENT SORBY

This is the thirty-sixth of the exclusive series of sketches of leading Colony residents by Mr. A. S. Konyas, the talented Hungarian artist.

OUR Personality this week is Mr. Vincent Sorby, the newly-appointed Manager of the Hong Kong Electric Company Limited.

Mr. Sorby, who was born in 1881 at Hardwick, near Sheffield, received his education at Doncaster Grammar School and the Sheffield Technical School, where he trained as an electrical engineer. Subsequently he was attached to the late Mr. William Johnson, Manager of the Sheffield Electric Supply Co., Ltd. It is almost 31 years since Mr. Sorby joined the staff of the Hong Kong Electric Company, the actual date being May 1904; since that time he has remained with the Company and has only been absent from Hong Kong on periodical leave, except during the first two years of the Great War, when he served as a gunner on board the auxiliary cruiser Empress of Russia.

At the time of Mr. Sorby's joining the Company, he recalls, the power station was situated in Wing Fung Street, Wanchai, and the current was carried into town by means of overhead cables. Moreover the station had to be shut down for three hours every Sunday, to allow of the cleaning of the switchboard. The General Manager at that time was Mr. W. H. Wickham.

TO-DAY'S QUOTATION

It is easy in the world to live after the world's opinions; it is easy in solitude to live after our own; but the Great Man is he who in the midst of the crowd keeps with perfect sweetness the independence of solitude.

—EMERSON.

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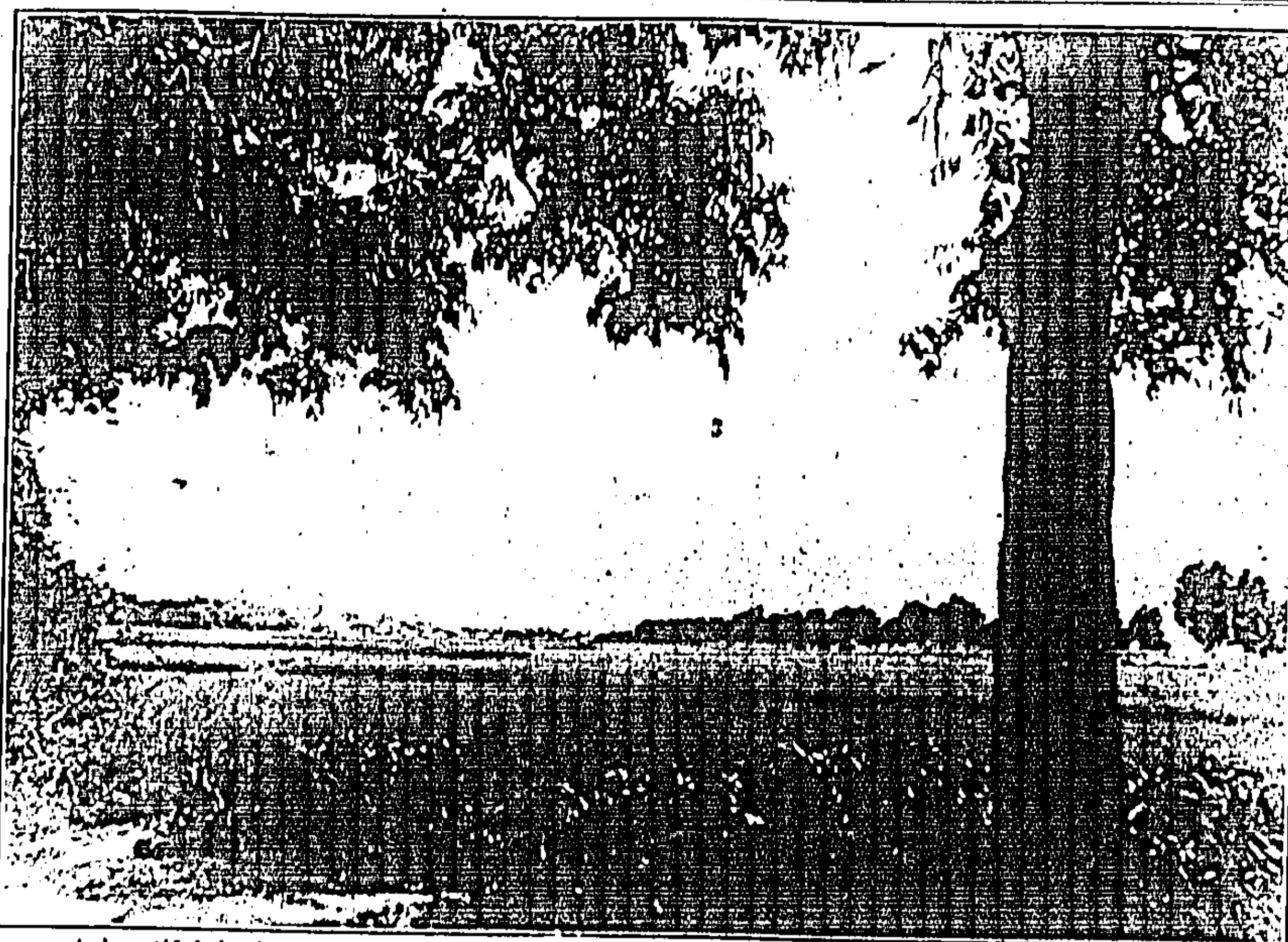
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The Kowloon Football Club, above, were defeated by the Club last Tuesday by 3 goals to 1 in the First Division of the soccer league in a very disappointing display on the Club ground.—(King's Studio).



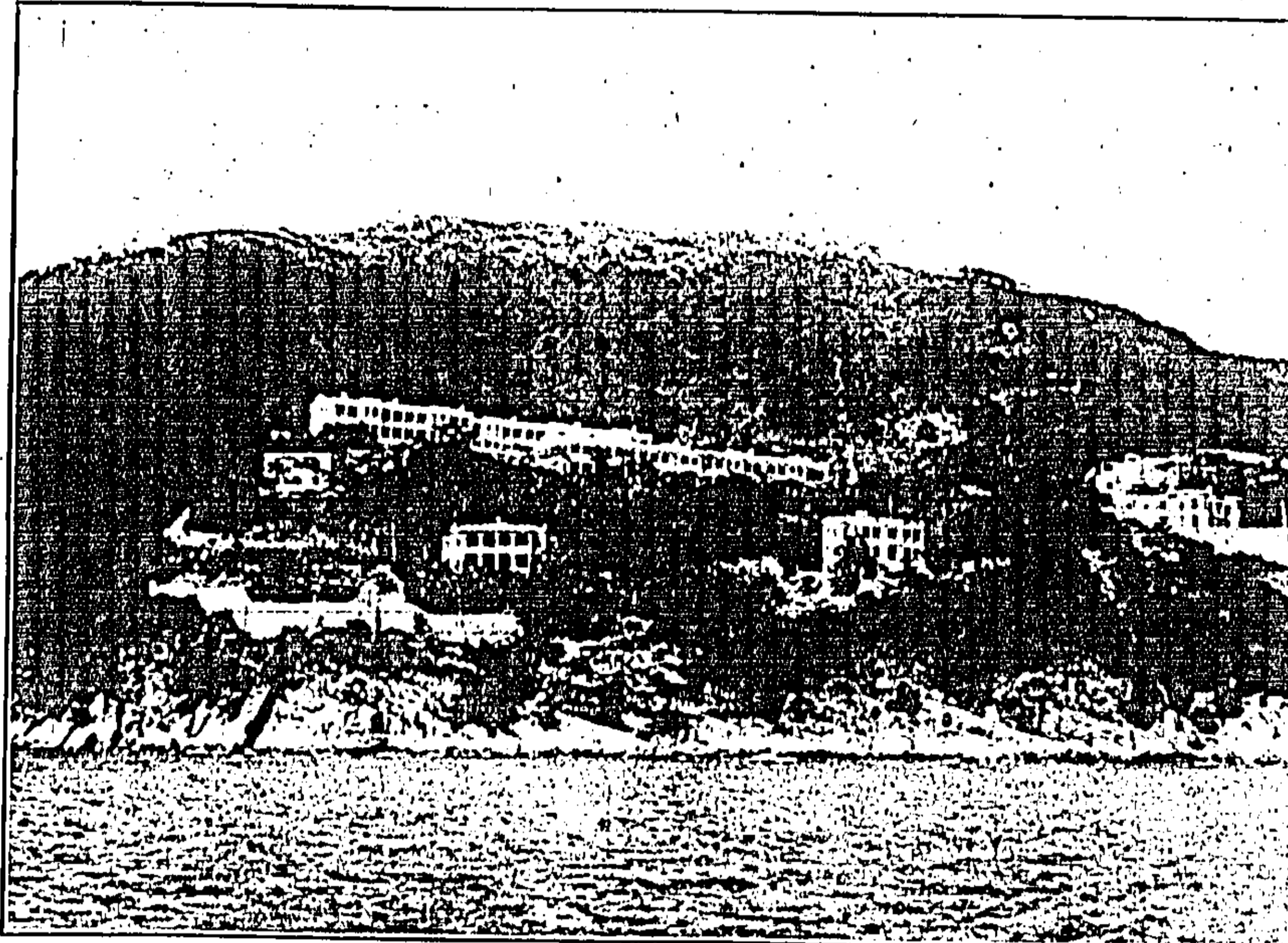
A beautiful landscape view taken at Castle Peak, also taken with a Zeiss Ikon Contax Camera.



The wedding group taken after the marriage between Dr. Ernest To and Miss L. Hermine Leopoldine Long at Pokfulam last Saturday.—(A. Fong).



Mr. A. Reinecke of the West Coast Life Insurance Co., of San Francisco, and Frank A. Pohndorf, arriving at the Union Church, Kennedy Road, for their wedding last Thursday afternoon.—(King's Studio).



(At Right)—A picturesque view of Mount Davis, taken with a Zeiss Ikon Contax camera, showing Felix Villas in the foreground.



The senior and junior champions at the Wah Tai College sports, left, Hang Hock-shan, and right, Au Chi-keung.



The Police Senior Division soccer eleven, above, defeated St. Joseph's by 2 goals to 1 on the Kowloon Football Club ground last Wednesday in their postponed fixture.—(King's Studio).



(Above)—Two incidents during the Queen's College athletic meeting, which was held at Causeway Bay last Friday before a large gathering of spectators in excellent weather.—(King's Studio).



Chan Wal-to, the senior champion at Queen's College Sports, is seen on the left, while Hung Chiu-chun, the junior champion, is on the right.



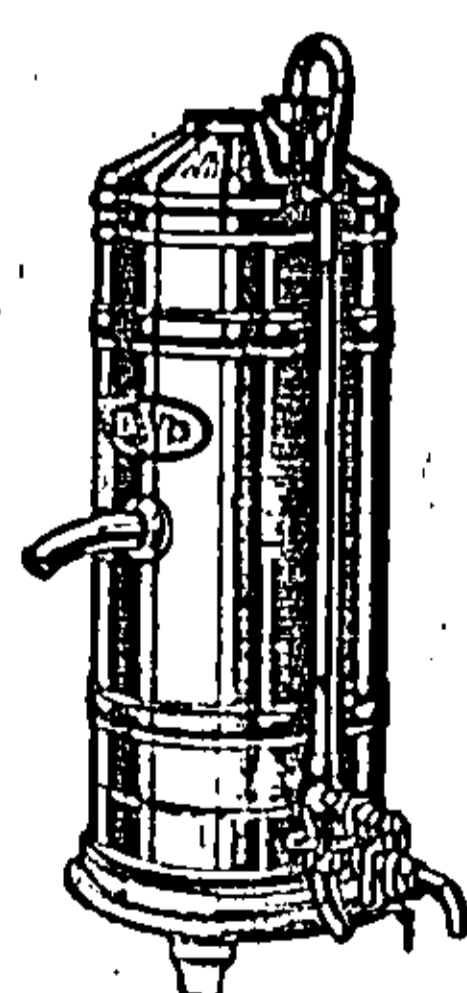
China's International hockey team, above, were badly beaten by England in the Semi-Final Round by eight clear goals on the Marina ground last Friday. B. S. Chin was outstanding in goal, while A. M. Orr, standing on the extreme right, played well at centre-half. (King's Studio).



George Arliss does not seem overjoyed at the prospect of having Edna May Oliver for his partner in this scene from 20th Century's "The Last Gentleman," released by United Artists and coming to the King's Theatre this week. He is probably afraid she will trump his act.

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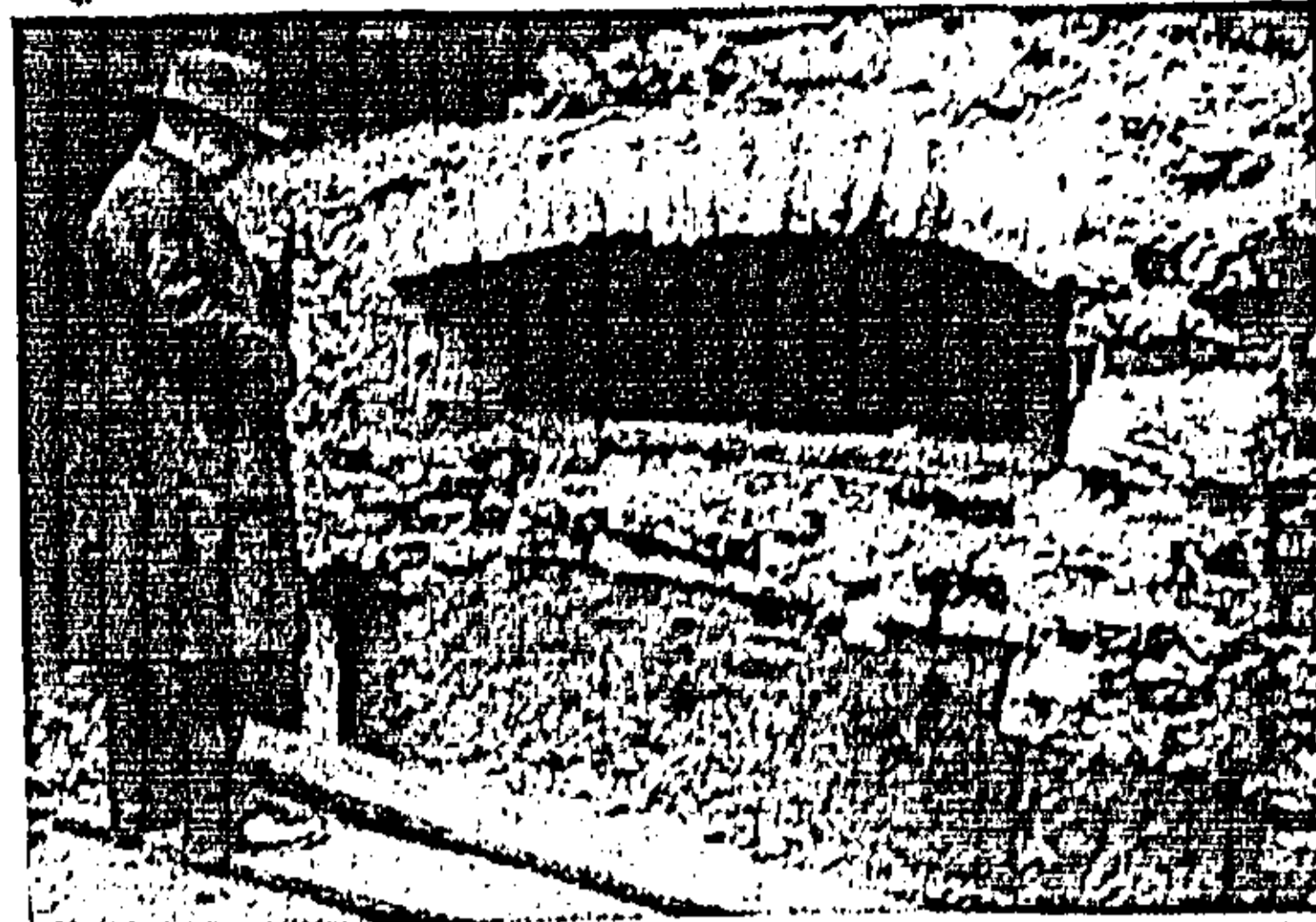
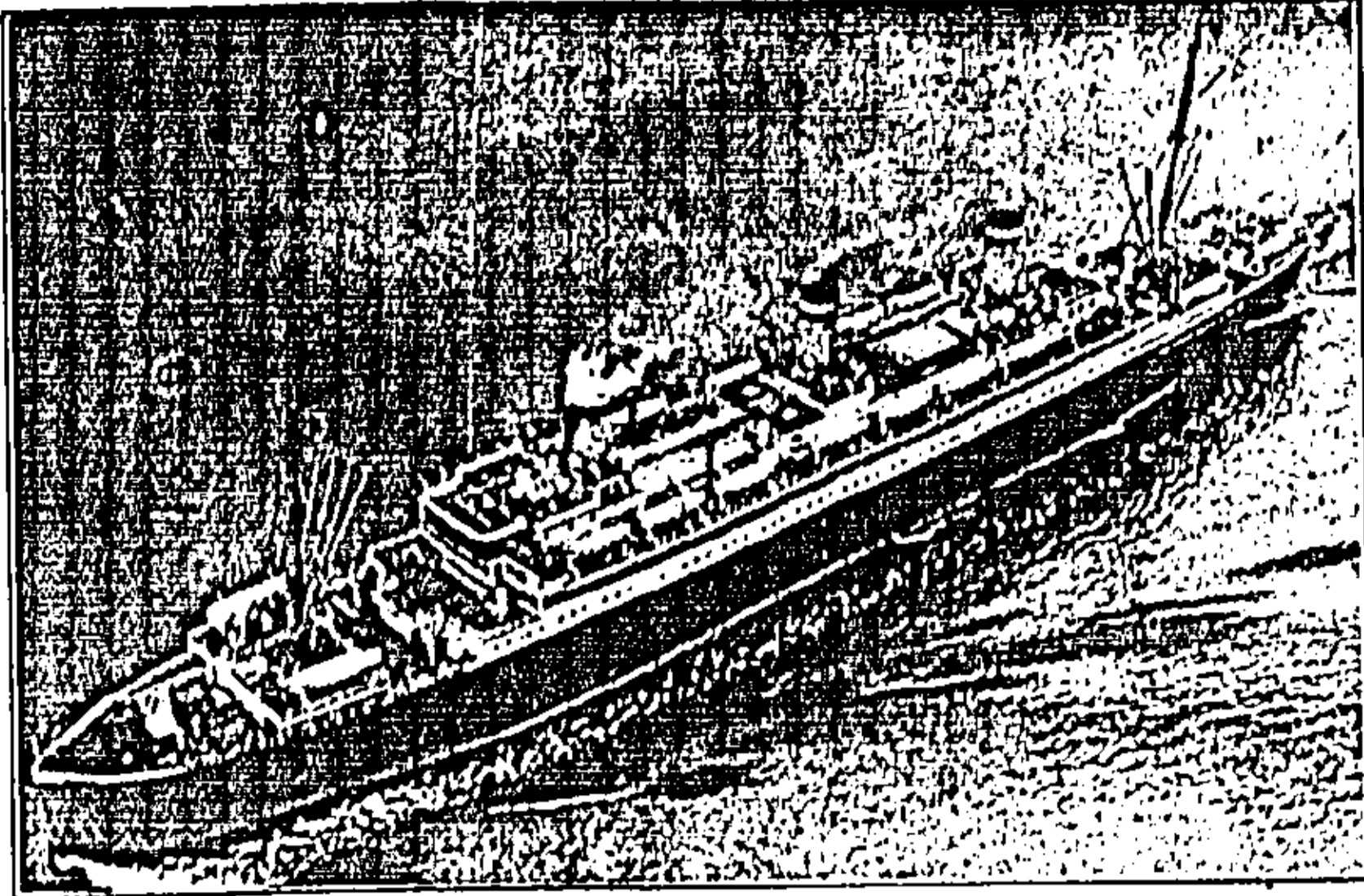
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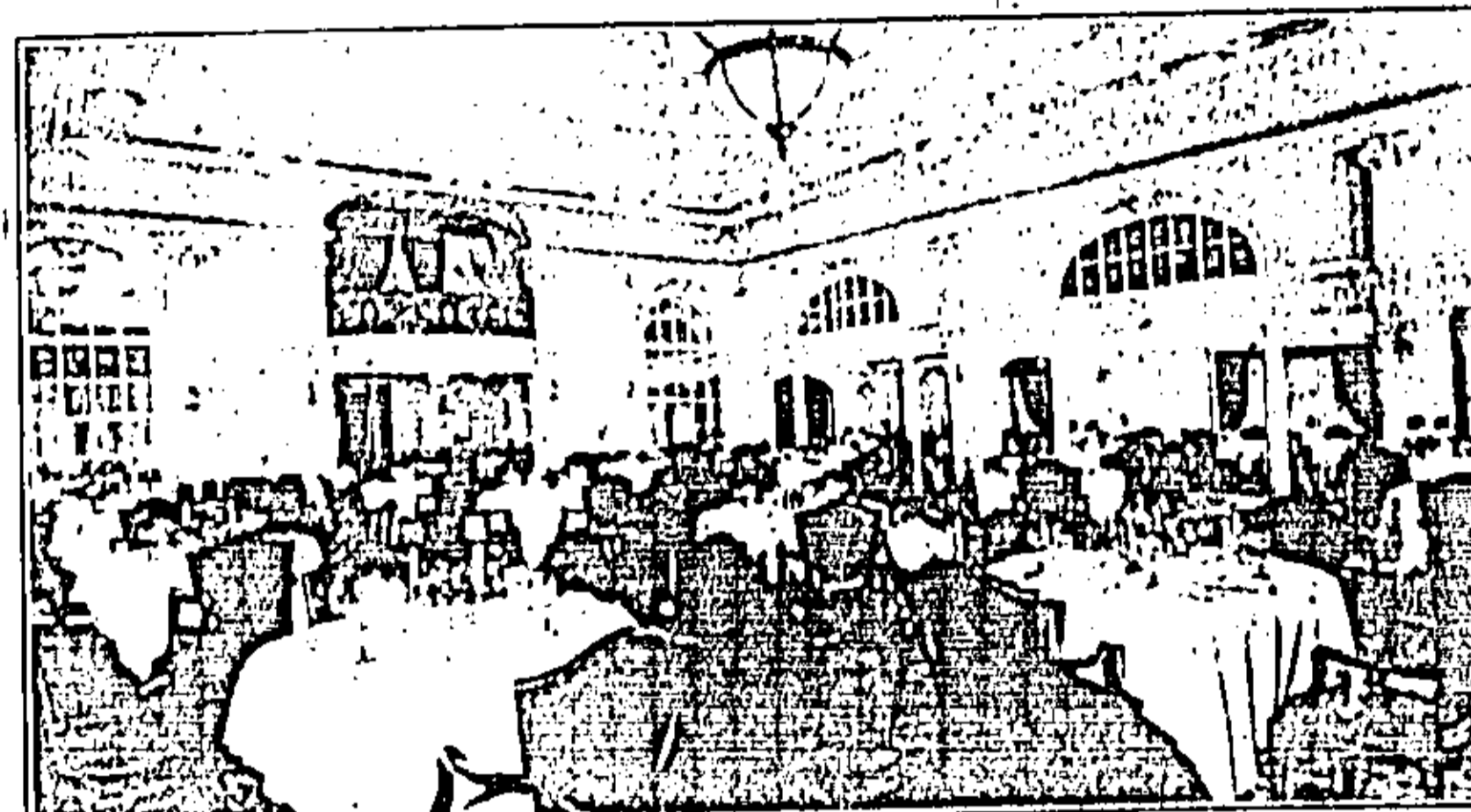
HE MUST NOT MRS. BOVRIL



Whilst excavating at the Church of Our Lady of Victories, Kensington, workmen discovered this ancient bakery, believed to be many centuries old, beneath the ground level.



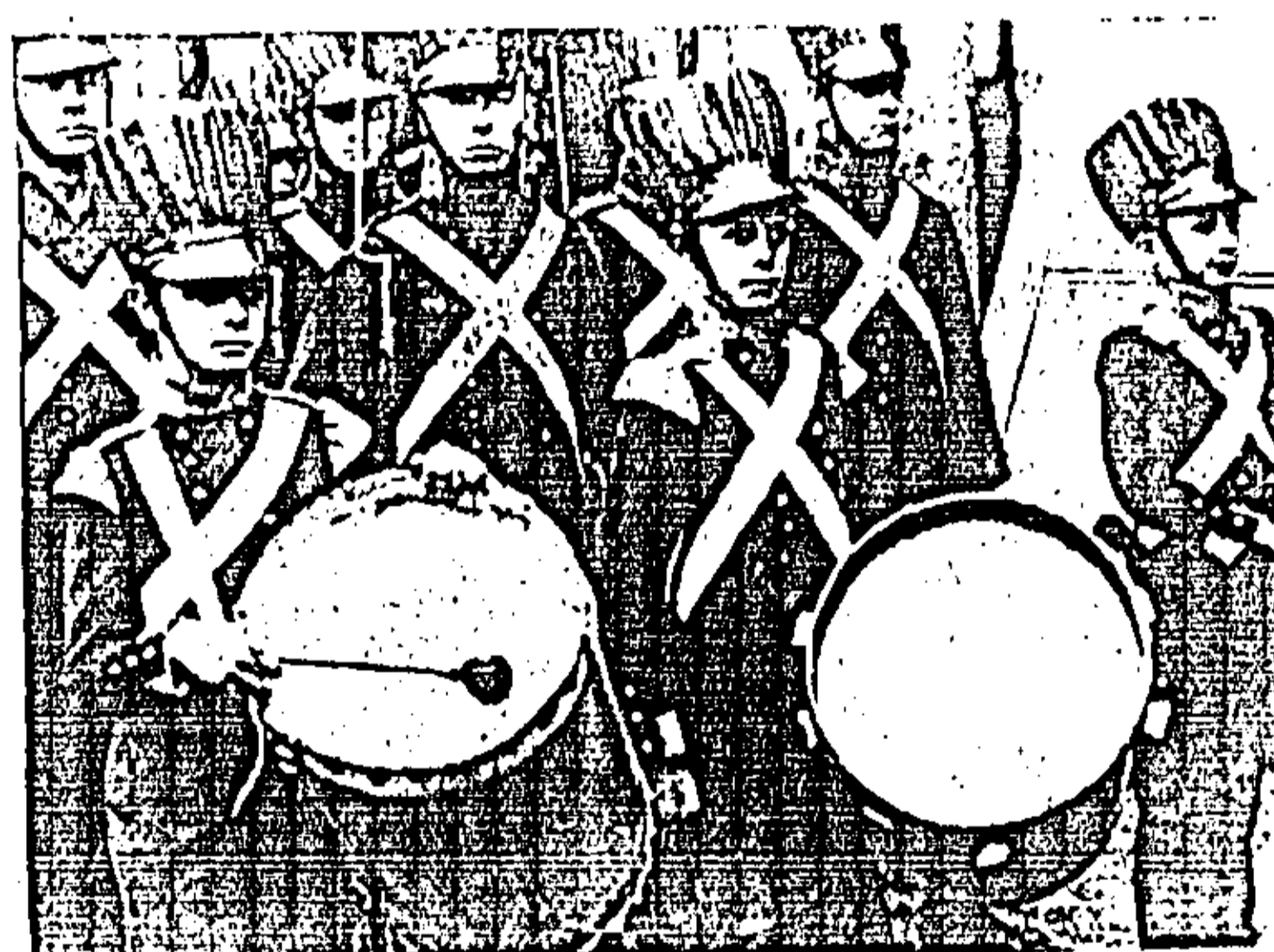
When girls in Capri marry a party is given by the bride, and the bridesmaids toast her in Falernian, the wine made on the island. This is the Falernian wine of Roman banquets.



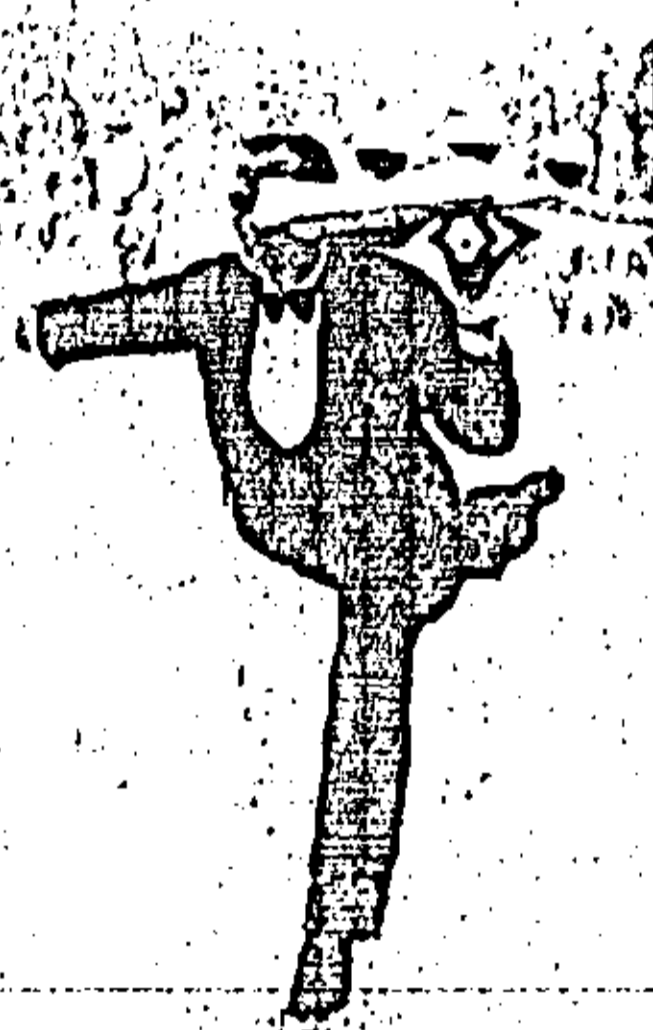
(At Left)—The s.s. Resolute, (top left) the Hamburg America Line's luxurious round-the-world cruising liner which left here last Sunday for Shanghai in continuance of her world tour. The photograph immediately below shows the comfortable Winter Garden, while beneath that is a view of the Dining Saloon.



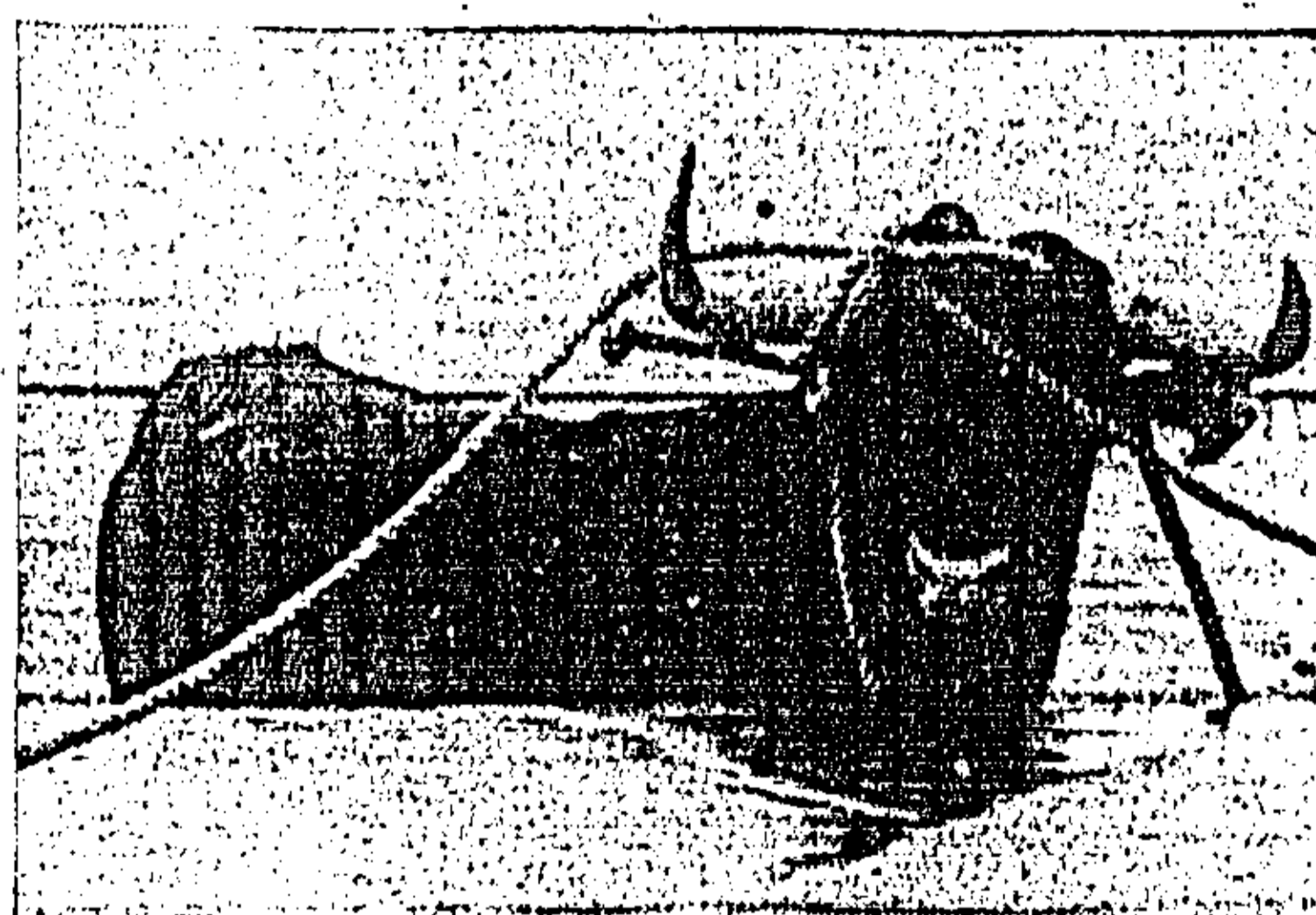
On the island of Lewis, Northern Scotland, old fishing nets, weighted with stones, are placed over the 'hutch' to ensure safety in the high winds.



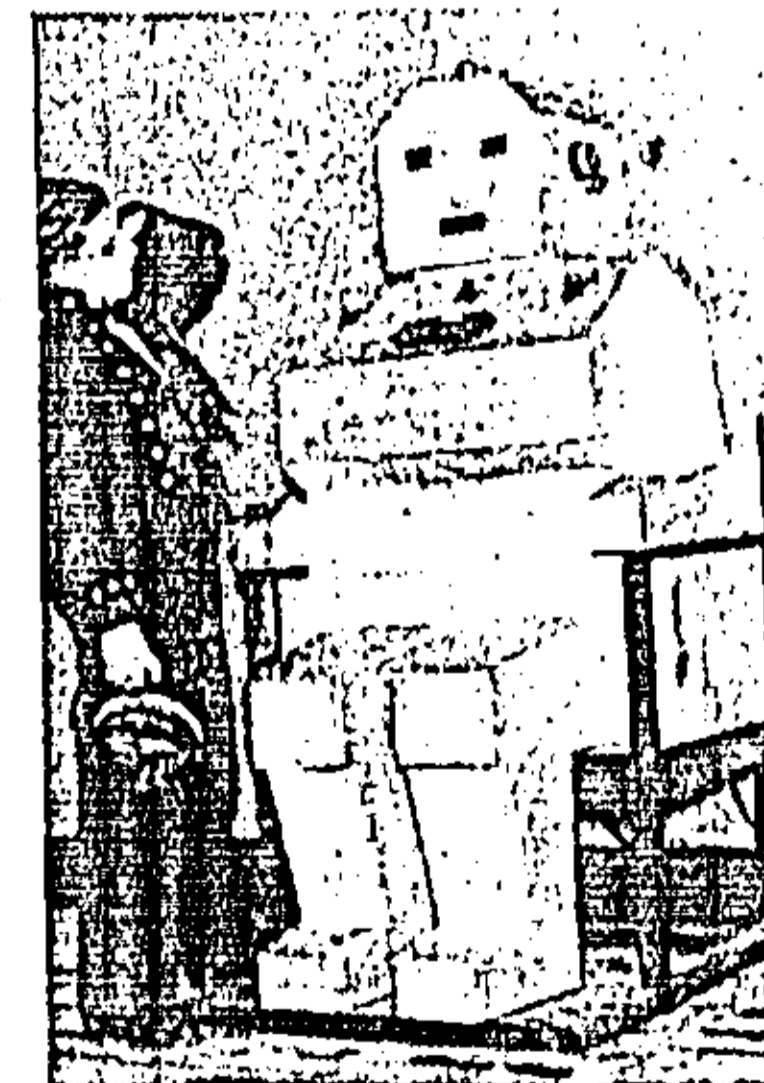
German drummer boys preparing for the riding tournament to be held at the Kalsendamm, Berlin. They are to appear in the item "Reichswehr" in the uniform of 1810.



Good balance and a steady hand are necessary to this skating waiter at St. Moritz.



Bulls were embarked in Spain on board the motorship "Corallera" for Venezuela. During heavy seas two of the bulls, fastened in boxes to the deck, broke loose. A terrific struggle ensued in the storm to round up the bulls before damage was done. Our photograph shows one of the bulls secured with ropes.



The perfect robot which can answer practically any question. Enrico Garin, the famous baritone has spent 14 years perfecting the machine which is worked by mind concentration of the operator and radio rays. The theatre page-boy is very perplexed.



The university boatman, who has been with Cambridge 42 years adjusting the ice-breaker he made himself to protect the boat from ice floating on the river.

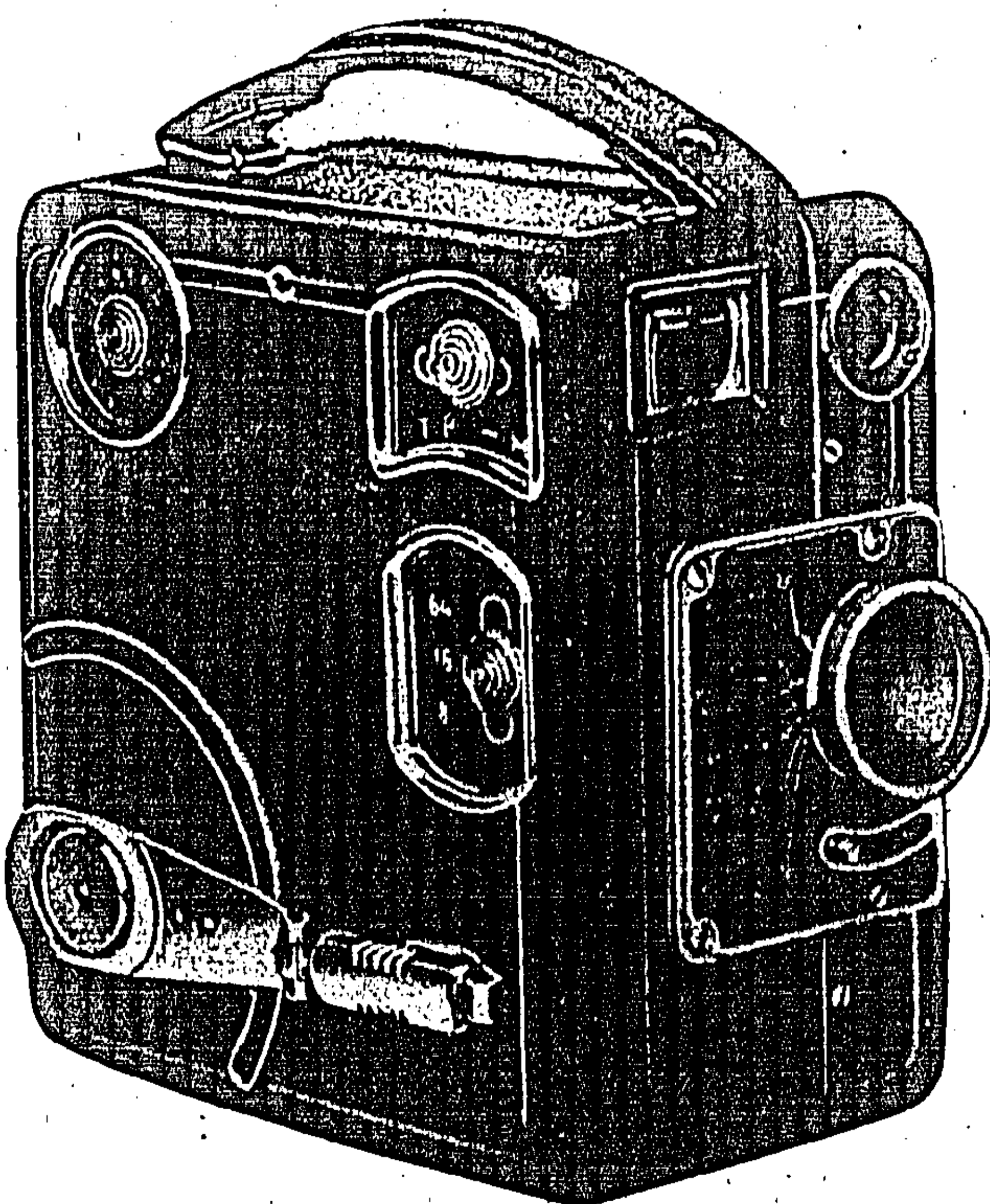


Three Parsees from Bombay arrive in London on bicycles. They have cycled through Persia, Turkey, the Balkan states and throughout Europe to the British Isles. They return via Africa, North and South America, Japan, China, and Australia, and hope to reach India after an absence of five years.

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THE whole of Saturday, March 30, was spent in the country. Slight drizzle in the morning and rain in the afternoon by no means interfered with our enjoyment.

First to Kung Tin, where the three of us explored woods and paddy fields for birds and flowers. The beautiful clear yellow *Cassia septentrionalis* was coming into flower though not yet at its best, roses were out in plenty, also *Strophanthus diversus* with its yellow and red twisted petals and a little of the white flowered *Plumbago zeylanica*.

Birds were plentiful, though at times difficult to see for the mist and, owing to the fact that there were both winter visitors and a few of the summer migrants in addition to the resident species, we made a good list. In the morning we identified 34 species and in the afternoon, from the car, at Tai Po and Plover Cove we made the list up to 42. In addition a bird of prey was seen which may have been an Osprey but we were not certain. Winter birds included two Pipits, two Wagtails, Chinese Stonechat, Siberian Grey-headed Bunting, Little Bunting, Eastern Turtle Dove, Buzzard, Kestrel, Pallas's Willow Warbler, Brown Bush Warbler, Eastern Blue Rock Thrush and over the Ping Shan marshes a number of the Eastern Great Egret. Summer visitors included the Chinese Starling, Chinese Kool, Pukien Pond Heron, Cattle Egret and Eastern House Swallow; all the other birds seen were resident species.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE FUNCTIONS

Many Social Activities During Week

The social activities of His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., and Lady Peel, and Government House functions for the week ending Saturday, are recorded in the following official communiqué issued from Government House yesterday.

Sunday March 31
The following luncheon at Pauling Lodge: Mr. and Mrs. Deuchar, Miss Macle, Commander T. A. Huxley, R.N., and Lieut. Cdr. J. S. Dullison, R.N.

Tuesday April 2
His Excellency exchanged official calls with His Excellency Mr. Lin Yui Koi, Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government who arrived from Canton to pay a semi-official farewell visit to His Excellency.

In the afternoon His Excellency accompanied by Lady Peel and attended by Mr. Piller, was presented at a meeting of the English Association at the Helena May Institute, His Excellency presiding.

The following were the guests at an official dinner at Government House in honour of His Excellency Mr. Lin Yui Koi:

His Excellency the General Officer Commanding and Mrs. O. C. Borrett, His Honour, Mr. Justice A. D. A., and Mrs. MacGregor, Commander and Mrs. C. F. Elliott, His Honour Mr. Liu Chi Wen, Mayor of Canton, Mr. H. Phillips, C.M.G., O.B.E., Hon. Sir Thomas and Lady Southern, Hon. Mr. C. G. Ansbacher, K.C., O.B.E., Hon. Mr. N. L. and Mrs. Smith, Hon. Mr. Edwin and Mrs. Taylor, Hon. Mr. R. M. and Mrs. Henderson, Hon. Sir William and Lady Pollock, Hon. Sir H. Kotewall, Hon. Dr. and Mrs. S. W. To'o, Hon. Mr. T. N. Chen, Mr. Li Luk Chau, Col. C. W. Leung, Sir Robert Ho Tung, LL.D., Mr. W. H. Bell, Mr. V. M. Grayburn, Mr. and Mrs. Ho Kung Tong, Mr. Wong Kwong Tin, Dr. Wu Pak Shing, Mr. Chow Hok Tong, Paymaster Comdr. F. R. Porter, R.N., and Mr. W. S. A. Clough-Taylor.

Wednesday April 3
His Excellency the Governor received Mr. A. H. Forbes, Commissioner of Customs, Kowloon, prior to his transfer from the Colony.

Thursday April 4
Lady Sophie Scott arrived at Government House for breakfast leaving later in the morning.

His Excellency presided at a meeting of the Legislative Council in the afternoon.

Friday April 5
His Honour Mr. Justice Lindsay Association.

DOG BROUGHT INTO COLONY

Heavy Fines On Two Unemployed
\$250 OR THREE MONTHS

Two unemployed Chinese who appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court yesterday morning on a charge of bringing a black chow bitch into the Colony from Sai Kung, without a permit from the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon, were each fined \$250, in default three months' imprisonment, after being thoroughly reprimanded by the Magistrate.

The defendants were Chan Chung, a 47-year-old unemployed, and Tam Kai, a 24-year-old unemployed.

Detective-Sergeant Kennedy, of the Mong Kok Tsiu Police Station, stated that at 6 p.m. on Wednesday, an Indian constable, No. B. 369, was on duty in Shanghai Street near Nelson Street, when he saw the two men coming towards him. The first defendant was carrying a basket. Being suspicious about the basket the constable stopped them and on opening the basket found the animal inside. They admitted bringing it from Sai Kung.

A Varying Story

Defendants told the police that they had been asked to bring the dog in by the master of the Kwong Nam Lang wood shop, at No. 287 Reclamation Street, but upon enquiry it was found that the master of the shop had made no such request. The defendants then changed their story, saying that a fook employed there, by the name of Ah Sing, had asked them to bring it in. Enquiries showed that there was only one person in the shop by the name of Sing, a 16-year-old boy, who denied their story. The defendants then stated that the man had gone to the country, but it was found that though three men had left the shop and gone to the country none had the name of Sing.

In answer to Mr. Wynne-Jones both defendants stated that they had nothing to say.
Before imposing the penalty Mr. Wynne-Jones said: "By bringing in dogs like this you cause the dogs of the Colony a lot of discomfort, and myself, and the police a lot of work, and cause dog owners in the Colony a vast amount of annoyance and expense. You also help to spread rabies. People have died of this and it is due to people like you bringing dogs in from outside."

DOG SCARE AT MONGKOK

Army Officer's Pet Acts Strangely

Excitement was caused in Mong Kok yesterday when Major Thoyts, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, residing at the Metropolitan Docks, reported at the Mong Kok Tsiu Police Station that his dog had been acting in a peculiar manner. A police officer was immediately dispatched, but on his arrival it was found that the dog had left the docks a few minutes before.

A description of the dog was immediately circulated to other police stations, the men on duty being warned to keep a look out for the dog.

A few hours later the dog was found in Mong Kok and taken to Ma Tau Kok where it is now under observation.

EUROPEAN BOY BITTEN

A dog belonging to Mrs. Almsworth, residing at the Military Married Quarters in Kennedy Road, was sent to Kennedy Town for observation on Friday last, after having bitten a young lad, Thomas Ridings, of No. 3, Warrant Officers' Quarters, Kennedy Road. The boy was sent to the Government Hospital for treatment.

INDIAN SILK STORES HAVE NEW REGULATION HOURS

As the result of a meeting held recently by the Indian Silk Merchants' Association, all Indian silk shops will in future open at 12 noon and close at 5 p.m. on Sundays, commencing as from to-day.

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of those who witness it, merits the attention and support of every conscientious citizen.

ESSAY CONTEST CONCLUDES

List Of Prizewinners
MANY EXCELLENT EFFORTS RECEIVED

The Essay Contest on the subject of "War," which was published last Sunday, proved a very popular competition and produced a large number of entrants. The writers of the six essays adjudged the best have each received two dress-circle tickets for the King's Theatre to enable them to witness "The First World War," which inspired the competition.

The Winners

The six winners of dress circle tickets in the Essay Contest were as follows:

T. H. Maycock
c/o Hong Kong Electric Co.
Miss F. Mansford Buckley
Sisters Qrs. British Military Hospital.
Miss T. G. Lang
65 Bonham Rd.
Theodore To Shul Wa
24 Conduit Road.
S. P. Simcocks
Clarendon Hotel.
A. C. Maycock
6 A.O.D. Qrs., Kennedy Rd.

The best essay on "War" was submitted by Mr. T. H. Maycock and reads as follows:—
Ever since the creation of mankind, man has had the tendency to resort to violence in the settlement of disputes, and has often shown a preference for this method over a more amicable one. Violence has also been employed for the furtherance of power and the gain of wealth and territory.

Whatever the motive, this characteristic of man has survived from the earliest time and is personified in the vast armies, fleets and armaments which exist to-day.

It is only lately that man has begun to realise, in the light of recent trends and experiences, the folly and utter uselessness of war, which is the name given to armed conflict between countries or large divisions of peoples.

Despite this fact, fear and distrust of one another has led practically every major country to arm itself to a standard, in the belief that safety lies in being in a state of preparation for war.

While the variety of this doctrine is open to question, its general adoption has not promoted a sense of security to all, and as a result the nations of to-day are armed to such a degree that a vicious circle in the armaments race prevails.

This state of affairs exists, despite the fact that there is in existence the League of Nations, a Court representing the major nations of the world for the prevention of further strife and warfare.

Police Force Needed
It would seem, however, in view of the past efforts of the League and the resultant conditions obtaining to-day—to apply the police court analogy—that the League will not be effective until such a time as it shall have the power to act decisively and, if necessary, by force of arms against any country which is obviously belligerent.

This final reversion to arms reveals an imperfection of human nature and as we are not yet in a position to acclaim the remedy that will lead to the cessation of all warfare we can but strive to secure it.

Already, the advent and passage of the Great War with its terrible toll of life, and its wake of destruction, terror, poverty, and chaos has brought realization by experience to many of the stupidity and utter futility of war.

Every Effort Needed
The present era of easy communications and mutual understanding makes war an even more undesirable event than formerly, and the possibility of another conflict, with its essentially greater destructiveness, must be viewed with gravity and its prevention by the serious consideration of every sane man and woman to-day.

Every attempt to promote peace and goodwill must therefore be fostered and the cinema, by its vivid and effective appeal, becomes a useful and powerful influence to that end.

Every picture therefore that seeks to depict war as it is, without glory or glamour, but historical and in its stark realism, with a view to the sobering of the mind.

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ARMED ROBBERIES PREVALENT

Six Occur In Less Than An Hour

NEW TERRITORIES REPORT

In less than an hour a record of six armed robberies, with violence, occurred in the New Territories in the early hours of yesterday morning when three men, armed with a dagger and a revolver, decamped with jewellery, clothes, piecegoods and money to the total value of nearly \$1,000, after stabbing two elderly Chinese women.

Cheung Tai-hung, a doctor of No. 15, Shek Wu Wui, Sheung Shui, in his report to the police, stated that at about 12.15 a.m. on Saturday, the front door of his shop, the Tsze Sheung grocery shop, was forced open and three men, armed with a revolver and a dagger, entered. They forced open his safe with an iron bar and took jewellery and money to the total value of over \$200.

Old Women Stabbed

They descended from the victim's mother, Yuen Fuk-toi, aged 61, the keys to open two boxes and stabbed her in the left leg after she had told them that she did not possess the keys. After ransacking the place for a while, they forced open a door leading to the Wah Hing Tea House and left.

Li Fong, master of the Wah Hing Tea House, stated in his report that three men entered his shop and held him up with a revolver and a dagger. They searched the place and decamped with jewellery. Prior to their departure they demanded the keys from the victim's 85-year-old mother, Ng Chung, to open a box, and stabbed her on the wrist when she told them that she did not have the keys.

Shop Fekl Robbed

Chian Fong, a shop fekl, residing in room No. 12 at the Wah Hing Tea House, has reported to the police that he was also visited by the three armed men, who ransacked his room, and, after searching his wife's room, with about \$454 in money and jewellery.

Lam Hing, a cook living in Room No. 20, Mak Yuet, a widow residing in room No. 9, and Au Yeung-kwan, of the Pak Cheung Tong shop made similar reports to the police of having been visited by three armed men, who ransacked their belongings and decamped with money, clothing, and jewellery.

The two women who were stabbed were attended by Doctor Lam, of Tai Po. They were, however, not sent to hospital as their injuries were not of a serious nature.

No arrests have yet been reported.

ENGINEERS SECTION OF VOLUNTEERS

Annual Dinner Held Last Night

"MOST EFFICIENT SECTION IN CORPS"

"This section is the most efficient one in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps," remarked Major M. A. Johnson in the course of his speech last night at the annual dinner of the Engineers section of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

After dinner the party toasted the health of His Majesty the King and of the officers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Dowbiggin, O.B.E., presented the prizes, congratulating each individual winner. The official guests were Lieutenant-Colonel Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Capt. Wilkinson, Sir Herbert L. Dowbiggin, C.M.G., Major Dixon, M.C., M.C., Mr. Munton, Lieut. H. Westlake, M.C., Lieut. Col. Fordham, M.C., Staff Sgt. Whittington, M.C., and representatives from the Royal Welsh Fusiliers, and the Royal Navy.

PRIZE WINNERS

The prize-winners of the annual Company shoot were:
Without Handicap: 1. L. C. Houghton, 2. L. C. Johnson, 3. C. M. S. Everest.
With Handicap: 1. Cpl. Lockhart, 2. Spr. Paul, 3. Cpl. Smith.
Titles: 1. Spr. Paul, 2. Spr. Casey, 3. Spr. Donah.
Recruits Without Handicap: 1. Spr. Everest, 2. Spr. Donah, 3. Spr. Treskin.
Company Championship and winner of the Everest Shield for 1935: Lance Corporal Houghton.

C.B.A. ANNUAL DANCE

The annual dance of the Central British Association, which was held in the Central British School Hall last night, proved to be a great success, over 30 couples being present. The (Troubadours) Jazz Band supplied the music.

The Seven Words On Calvary

The Fifth Saying Of Christ: "I Thirst"

He Drank That He Might Endure For Others

(By the Rev. J. N. Lewis Bryan)

IT has been recorded that one of the Roman armies was once so engrossed in a battle, that a terrible earthquake, which rocked the ground beneath them, was never even felt. Archimedes of Syracuse, so intensely absorbed himself in a certain problem that when an armed foe burst into his house to take his life, he only asked the favour of a few minutes' quietness to complete the process in which he was engaged.

In a somewhat similar state must the mind of Christ have been, as He was hanging on the Cross, until He uttered the fifth of His sayings from it. As His mind relaxes, His body pushes to the front. For almost six hours He had been suspended—His whole weight resting on the nails. In addition to the physical exhaustion, His spirit had undergone intense excitement, and indescribable strain. Just as after the temptation in the wilderness, three years before, He was afterwards an-hungered, so now a similar reaction came upon Him and He said, "I thirst."

Suffered As Man
It was an intensely human cry, and nothing could more effectively guarantee the genuineness of that tremendous experience. In the Gospels His character is drawn for us in a manner that is sober and restrained; there is nothing extravagant about it. He was divine, and yet He was our Brother. We read of Him being weary, of weeping at the graveside of the friend He loved, and now upon the Cross there comes the cry that might have come from the lips of any sufferer:—"I thirst."

Criminals in those barbaric days were sometimes crucified on the bank of a river in order that the sight of the water which they could not reach might intensify their maddening thirst. It was a terrible refinement of cruelty, for one of the greatest agonies of crucifixion was that caused by thirst.

The Roman soldiers were given, for their refreshment, a sour wine which they were accustomed to drink mixed with water. Evidently they had, from time to time, been lifting up their cups towards the lips of the Sufferer, and then snatching them away in cruel jest. Is it any wonder that when the spiritual conflict which ended in the three hours' silence and in the fourth cry from the Cross was over,

SANITARY BOARD

Meeting Called For Tuesday Next

ORDERS OF THE DAY

At Tuesday's meeting of the Sanitary Board two letters from the Government, one relative to the appointment of Mr. M. K. Lo to be a member of the Sanitary Board for a further term of three years, and the others signifying the approval of the Legislative Council to the amendment of the following by-laws:—(a) Offensive Trade, and (b) Scavenging and Conservancy, will be read. The regular returns will be laid on the table.

REGISTRY OFFICE WEDDING

Sino-Indian Couple Married

At the Registry Office, Supreme Court, yesterday morning, Mr. Abdul Hamid, son of the late Sheikh Abdul Jemal, and manager of the Arts Advertising Co., 74 Johnston Road, Hong Kong, was married to Miss Ngo Fui Wah, daughter of Mr. Ngo Tan Shan, local merchant of No. 108 Bonham Strand, East, Hong Kong. The ceremony was witnessed by Mr. K. B. Sheikh and Mrs. Jack into harmony with the purpose of

He should have exclaimed "I thirst?" He had earlier rejected the offer of the wine mingled with a herb that would have deadened His senses, and so eased His pain, because He just did not seek to avoid it, but rather to overcome it in the fullest possession of His mind. But now He accepted a kind and sympathetic gift of vinegar, soaked in a sponge, which one of the soldiers put on hyssop and placed to His mouth.

Bearing Others' Pain
He taught us, on the Cross, to suffer for others and to bear their pain; but He showed us that there is no merit to be gained for ourselves by enduring pain. In the earlier days of Christianity, self-torture was regarded as conferring merit upon the sufferer; because, of two ways open, one was painful, he chose it; because food was needful, he fasted. Self-denial for the sake of others is Christ-like; but if only suffered to acquire merit for oneself, it is exactly the reverse. He drank the cup on Calvary, in order to have the strength to bear His agony.


Loneliness
Lord Tennyson once remarked to Queen Victoria: "Your Majesty, in your exalted station how lonely you must feel." It is one of the inevitable penalties of greatness that the soul is alone, whether it be in the matter of position or genius. The greater, the more lonely. And none was more lonely than the Son of Man, because none ever was so great. It had been His fate to have trodden the vinepress alone, and of all the people there was none with Him. He longed for the sympathy of the crowds whom once He had fed, yet He had seen them gradually slipping away from Him as the months went by.

Never was He more lonely than at the end. Was there no one left in the crowd who was willing to lift a hand to keep Him? It has been suggested that to find an answer to that question was one motive for uttering the cry "I thirst." It was a Roman soldier who responded, little thinking that his action would make Him immortal across the ages, though his name would never be known. He was just one of the nameless masses of mankind, in whom there is so much good in the very worst, who so often do good by stealth and then blush to find it fame. Somehow I feel I would rather have been that man, than win any fame that life can give.


In a very true sense Christ is still crucified before the world, and still He cries "I thirst," and the Cross still stands as the most eloquent token of the thirst that is His for the sons of men. That is what it means and for what it stands. It is just the symbol of the love that will not let us go, that is ready to reach down to the bottommost depths as sin and degradation, and does not mind soiling its fingers or its garments in the quest.

Service For Others
A Russian legend tells of a poor serf who on a bitter night passed a soldier on guard. The sentry's teeth were chattering with cold. "Man," said the serf, "you are freezing. Take my coat." Long years afterwards, the serf came to the gates of Heaven. He saw the Christ. "Master," he exclaimed in astonishment, "you have on my coat." "Yes," was the reply, "and I have worn it ever since you gave it to me on that cold winter's night amid the snow."

If we speak and do things for the service of others, it is really the Christ whom we serve, and His thirst that we seek to satisfy. The fifth of our Lord's sayings upon the Cross was spoken out of a burning thirst, but it came from a spirit of majestic self-possession. He was convinced that the pain which He was enduring had a placed in the divine purpose and was the fulfilment of the divine will. Pain is a great mystery; but His attitude towards it on the Cross of Calvary helps to bring its harsh discords into harmony with the purpose of God.



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East And West Can Meet In Business

Britain And China Need One Another

TRADE FAIR HOPES

THE story of the pioneers of British trade in China is full of interest and romance. Their efforts commenced an era which has given Western civilisation to many places. To-day China figures constantly and prominently in the leading newspapers of the world, and she has provided urgent problems for statesmen, social workers and famous economists. But beyond all else, China offers for every business man with any ambition to extend his connections, the greatest potential market in the world.

This is the age of the question mark. No subject is exempt from criticism and discussion. But there are certain facts beyond question: One is that China is most anxious to develop foreign trade, another is the importance of the facts revealed by a study of geography. You cannot argue as to whether London is situated on the Banks of the Thames; you cannot question the fact that the position of Venice caused it to be the great trading centre of the Middle Ages; nor can you doubt the fact that Hong Kong is one of the largest shipping centres of the world because its geographical position made that inevitable as soon as sea transport became much more rapid and extensive. The use of coal and oil for ship propulsion, and the urge of traders to seek new markets, gave the geographical position of Hong Kong unique importance in the new world conditions created by rapid transport.

Anglo-Chinese Co-Operation
The development of Hong Kong into its present important status in the world of commerce might have been delayed, but for the enterprise of the early British traders. Nature created conditions in Hong Kong so favourable for trading that, as soon as scientific knowledge and Western ideas surged into the Far East, the need for Hong Kong as a port and great trade centre must have changed it from a barren island into a most important centre of commerce. What are these natural conditions? Amongst others is the valuable and wonderful harbour. The largest vessels in the world can find a safe anchorage in the channel that lies between the Island of Hong Kong and the mainland of China.

World Cargoes
Nowadays, there are always in Hong Kong merchant vessels of many nations, either anchored in the harbour or alongside the wharves. Cargo from all points of the compass is being unloaded for distribution to different parts of China. The products of the interior of China are being placed in the ships to be carried to Europe, America, Australia, South Africa, India, Malaya—in fact to almost any place which is on the map as a centre of trade. The variety of these products is astonishing to those who have not realised that China is such an enormous country, or that the climatic conditions in different parts permit of the growth of almost every item in the vegetable and animal world.

It must be remembered, too, that the mines are providing modern China with the wealth essential for trade. Although tungsten, antimony, and tin are carried away in the ships that voyage out of the harbour of Hong Kong, the mines

of China are almost undeveloped in comparison with what the surveys of scientists have revealed lies hidden in the ground, waiting for Western machinery and modern methods to force it to yield up its wealth. In all of the varying episodes in the history of the world that have passed across the flickering screen of time there has been nothing so encouraging to those who have faith in the future of humanity as the results, evident in Hong Kong, of Anglo-Chinese co-operation. In the growth of this great trade centre there has been a fusion of the best attributes of both of these races, working in union for one common purpose.

Racial characteristics have been the subject of analysis by many learned men, but we are concerned here only with those that explain the reasons why Hong Kong is unique in its development. Why has it, within a century, changed from an almost unknown island, with only about 500 inhabitants, to one of the largest ports in the world with nearly a million residents?

Peace-Loving Race
One of the reasons is that the racial characteristics of the British and the Chinese supplement each other in a manner that is as remarkable as it is beneficial. No wise man would dare to say that the characteristics of either race have helped more than the other. You cannot praise sufficiently the industry, the cheerfulness and the astonishing ability in commerce of the Chinese residents. Nor must mention be omitted of their respect for law and order, except in the face of starvation, or death in other form, there is no race of people more peace-loving.

And what have the British contributed? Western science and impartial justice are the two foremost items on the list. For without those two foundation stones, this great edifice of commerce, this Western city in the Far East, could never have been erected.

The story of the early triumphs of the British pioneers in Hong Kong; the grim tenacity of purpose of those who saw the splendid possibilities for trade between Britain and China, is one that is full of romance. In the face of unrecognised diseases, in the days when news travelled from London to Hong Kong at the speed of the sailing ship voyaging round the Cape of Good Hope, these valiant pioneers carried on and refused to acknowledge defeat. An impartial foreign critic once wrote "In every war the British always win one battle—the last." The war waged in Hong Kong, in those early days, was grim indeed. It was fought against terrifying epidemics, pirates, superstition and the ignorance of those who had then failed to realise the enormous advantages of the new civilisation.

That is all changed now. The Chinese no longer oppose Western ideas and intercourse with Western traders. They are determined to adopt these new ideas, new aids to make life longer and more pleasant, new methods of increasing their own natural products, and new system of improving communications.

Here, then, is the opportunity for those who seek new or extended markets to demonstrate to the Chinese what they wish to sell to and buy from them. There is a constant stream of Chinese visitors

Hong Kong Personalities

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During his long service with the Company Mr. Sorby has had to deal with every department of the generating and supply side of the business and for the past five years has been Main Engineer and First Assistant. It may be mentioned that he is a member of the Institute of Electrical Engineers.

Mr. Sorby has seen service in two wars: first as a trooper in the Imperial Yeomanry, when he went through 18 months' fighting in South Africa during the Boer War, and secondly as a naval gunner during the Great War on board the Empress of Russia, cruising in the Red Sea, the Southern Indian Ocean, and in Philippine waters.

In 1917 Mr. Sorby married Miss Patricia Conway. They have three children: two sons, who are at school in England, and a young daughter who is with them in Hong Kong.

The thirty-five previous sketches were of Sir William Shenton Kt., the Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell, Sir William Horne Kt., C.I.E., LL.D., M.A., the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G., LL.D., Comptroller F. Elliott, O.B.E., the Hon. Dr. S. W. Tse, O.B.E., LL.D., Mr. Eric Mitchell O.B.E., Mr. T. B. Wilson, M. Soulange Telsler, the Marquis de Falcão, Mr. Louis H. Gourley, the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe C.M.G., Herr H. Glipperich, Sir Shou-son Chow, Kt., M. D. Drummond, Cav. Off. A. Blanton, Mr. H. B. L. Dowling, O.B.E., Mr. G. C. Pelham, Senor Fernando Alegre, H.E. Sir Wm. Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., H.E. Major-General O. C. Borrett, C.B., C.M.G., C.B.E., D.S.O., Mr. J. T. Bagram, Major V. E. Ducas M.C., Lt.-Col. G. D. R. Black O.B.E., Mr. W. J. Carrie, Mr. M. Rivera Iglesias, Mr. A. M. Bowes-Smith, Mr. M. J. B. Montargis, Major C. M. Manners, Henry Pollock, K.C., Mr. N. J. Perrin, Mr. J. L. McPerson, M.B.E., Sr. Donathey Remero and Mr. Wai Shu-pak.

REV. FR. SAUREN ROBBED

The Rev. Father Sauren, of No. 2 Semour Road, in a report to the Police, states that between 10 p.m. on Friday night and 5 a.m. yesterday someone entered his premises by removing a pane from the fanlight of his cellar and stole two boxes valued at \$4 and a chalice valued at \$10.

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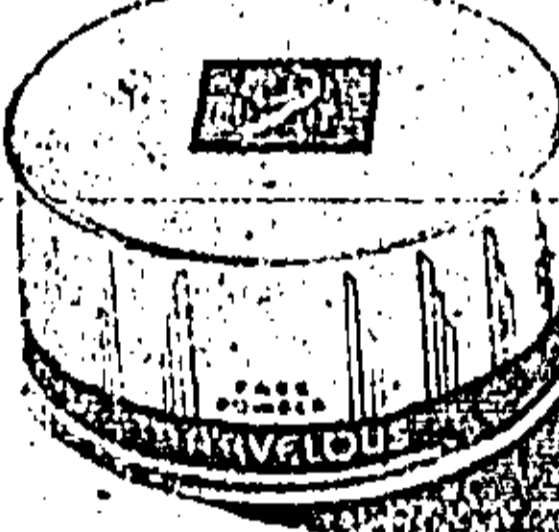
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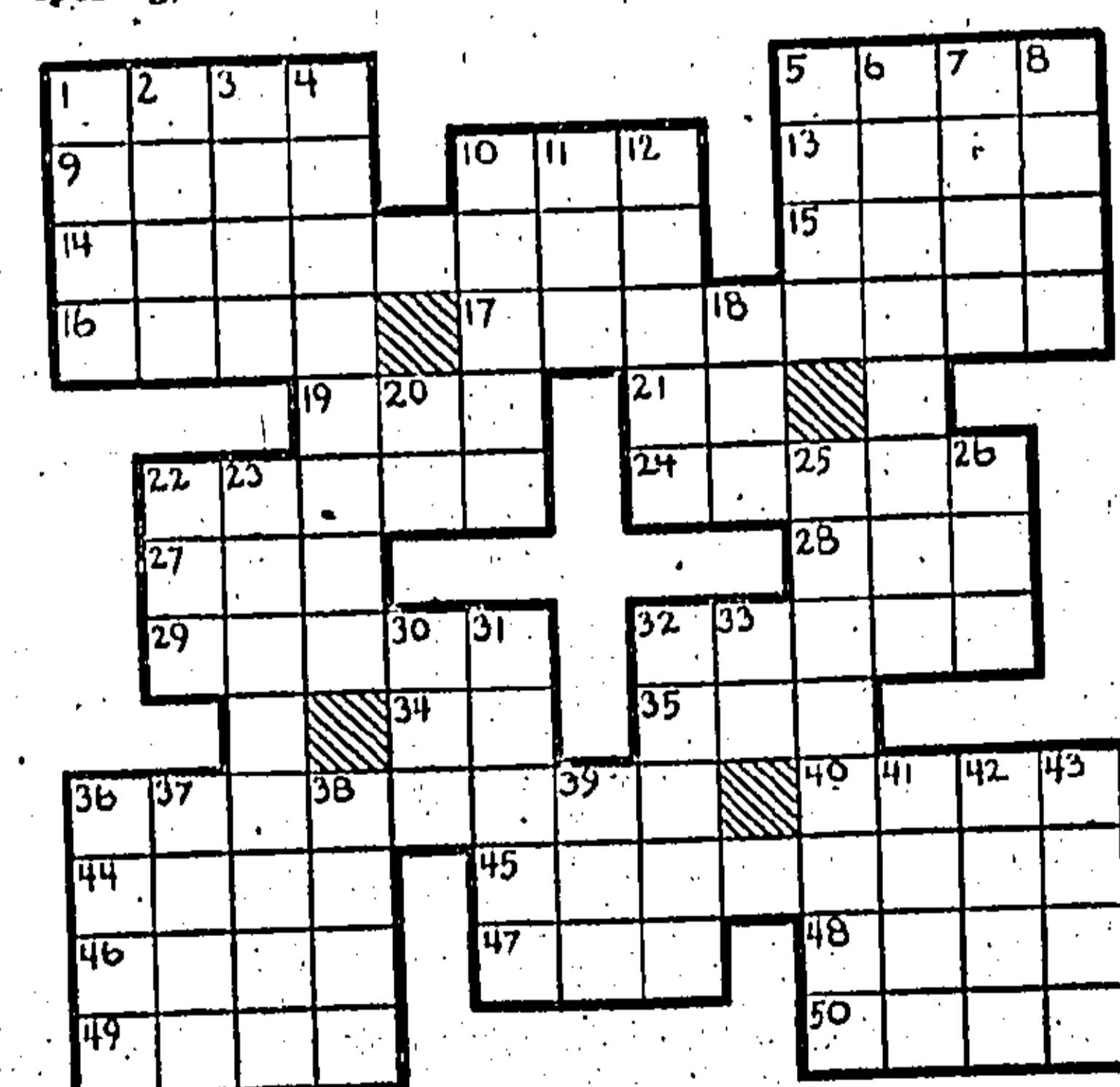
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OUR CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

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HORIZONTAL

1-Records, as the tide
5-Assistant (abbr.)
9-Trip
10-Article of furniture
13-German rear-admiral (World War)
14-Consecrate
16-Gain
18-Walk
17-Suffice
19-Hawaiian food
21-Half an em
22-Felters
24-Altitude
27-Imitate
28-Metric land measure
29-To set again
32-Ascend
34-A New England State (abbr.)
35-Small lump of butter
36-Wanders aimlessly

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

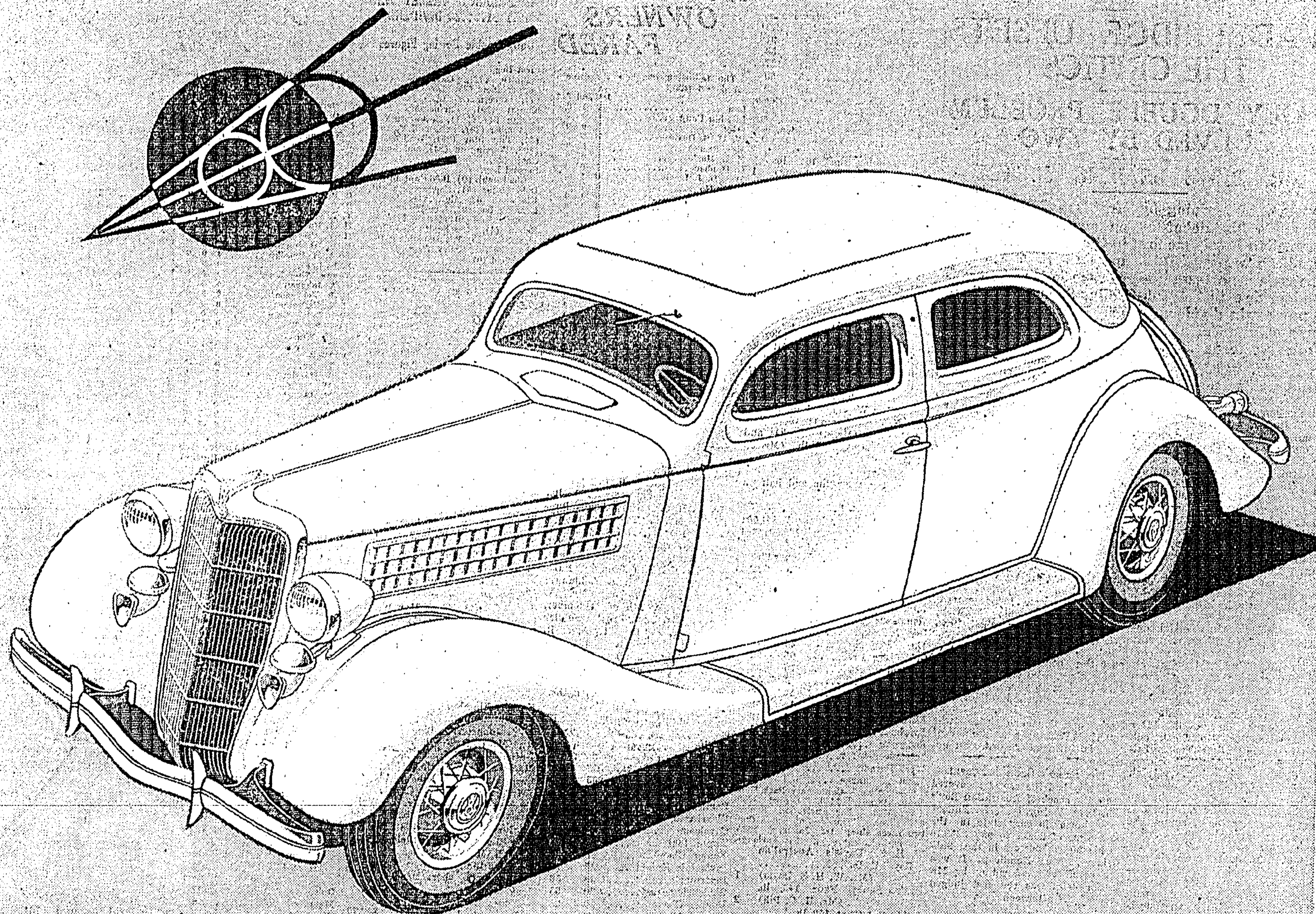
40-In this place
44-Stake in cards
45-Snuffler
46-Lot stand (print)
47-Senior (abbr.)
48-Employ
49-Covers with turf
50-Departed

VERTICAL

1-Terminates
2-A vegetable
3-Ordered
4-Executes in stipple
5-On the ocean
6-Sprinkles
7-Wither
8-A number (pl.)
10-Support
11-Greek letter
12-Prevent from acting

VERTICAL (Cont.)

16-Feminine suffix
20-Part of the Bible (abbr.)
22-Hinder
23-Cause to function
26-Trusty
28-Wild (Scott.)
30-Finish
31-Phaeonians (abbr.)
32-A reliquary
33-Egyptian sun-god
36-Crowd
37-Combining form. Within
38-Ennervate
39-Royal Naval Reserve (abbr.)
41-Otherwise
42-Ridge of rock near surface
43-Formerly (Poet.)



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POLICE ROUT SOUTH CHINA "B" IN SHIELD PRELUDE

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start to finish. Green and Moss were a fast and clever left wing, and in the second half were very prominent in many movements, three of which led to goals. Tommy Pile was also well on form on the right wing, and executed several fine moves with Johnston and Bone. The latter does not possess the speed of the others, but rendered fine work behind the line in the shape of accurate passes and cool spoiling tactics.

Penalty Opens Scoring

After 20 minutes Johnston was fouled by Tong Kwan, and T. Pile converted the resultant spot-kick with a well-placed shot. At this stage, the Police monopolised most of the exchanges.

Soon after Green sent Moss away, and the left-winger tore down the line, sweeping past several opponents before sending in a low pass which Green neatly turned into the net. There was no further score up to the interval.

After five minutes play in the second half South China reduced their opponent's lead when Lee Shok-yau broke away from Brooks and sent in a terrific surprise shot. Perkins pushed out, but Lai Shui-wing headed in at the second attempt.

From the kick-off, Moss streaked down the wing again to send in another perfect ground pass. Lim Tak-po fell in stopping the ball, and Green coolly directed the ball into the net before the Chinese centre-half could recover.

Displaying brilliant form, Moss broke through again, and his final pass found Green in position to drive home a carefully placed shot, which Wong Wah-kai stopped, but allowed to drop behind him into the net.

Clever Header

Stung into action at this further reverse, South China set up a short attack which took the Police unawares, and a flashing centre by Lee Shok-yau was cleverly headed in by Wong King-ke.

In a final Police rally Tommy Pile neatly swerved past Henry Young and Hu Hing-yuen and placed the ball at Johnston's foot, for the Police leader to score the fifth, and last goal.

If the Police can reproduce their splendid attacking tactics, coupled with more accurate shooting, in next Saturday's Shield Final, the result should again go well in their favour, although there were occasions in yesterday's match which suggested that the Chinese were holding themselves in to some extent, probably to ensure a fit team for the Final.

Police: Parkin, Blackburn, C. Pile, Brooks, Gough, Parker, T. Pile, Bone, Johnston, Green and Moss.

South China "B": Wong Wah-kai, Tong Kwan, Hu Hing-yuen, Lee Kam, Lim Tak-po, Henry Young, Yeung Shui-yick, Lai Shui-wing, Tsang King-ke, Cheuk Shok-kam and Lee Shok-yau.

WELL DESERVED SOCCER WIN

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Two Goals in 10 Minutes

The East Lanes equalised 10 minutes from time. H. Swain took the ball down the wing and centred for Lawton to beat Tang with a perfect ground shot. The last goal was a great effort and should be recorded as one of the best goals of the season. North was awarded a free kick 45 yards out at an acute angle to the goal, and took a deliberate shot for goal, the ball entering the net just beneath the bar. Immediately the ball was taken to the centre the whistle blew for time, and South China "A" had lost their unbeaten record by about 30 seconds.

East Lanes:—Oxford; Swain, Gorman; Smith, Camell, North; H. Swain, Thorpe, Lawton, Horner and Tuley.

South China "A":—Tang Yat-ming; Leung In-shan, Lau Mau; Lau Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chui, Lee Kwok-wai, Tso Kwai-shing, Wong Moo-shun, Fung King-choung, Tam Kong-pak and Ng Fok Kui.

CHING MING FESTIVAL

Crowds Flock To Aberdeen

Thousands of the local Chinese community flocked to Aberdeen and Tai Hang to pay homage at the graves of their ancestors in celebration of the Ching Ming Festival yesterday.

On every trip the motor-buses were packed to capacity, while many of the Chinese visited their relatives' graves in public cars.

Many went to Canton to celebrate the occasion. On Friday night

RECREIO PUT SPOKE IN CLUB WHEEL BY 4 TO 2

"End Of The Season" Display By Losers

SPEEDY RECREIO FORWARDS RIDDLE SHAKY DEFENCE

The Club received a setback on their own ground yesterday when they let the Club de Recreio beat them by 4 goals to 2 in the premier soccer league. The Club showed that "end of the season" form and but for their two penalties would never have scored; the loss of those two points makes the position of runners-up to South China "A" more open—but the season is not over yet and the Club have still a chance.

The Club started with ten men but in a few minutes Fowler came on to complete the side. The Recs attacked right from the start and the Club conceded a corner; from the resultant kick B. Gosano had very hard lines not to score with a header. Continual Recreio pressure was rewarded when Alves, taking the ball on the run, flashed across a perfect pass for Delgado to open the scoring.

Play then moved to the other end, but Hill, when well positioned, shot into Marques' hands. The Recreio were never far away from the Club's half, however, and Gomes, punning on a rebound from the goal-keeper, gave Rodger no chance with his shot.

Marvellous Football

In the second half Gomes and R. Gosano treated the spectators to some marvellous football, but without any result. It was B. Gosano, nevertheless, who scored the Recreio's third goal, getting his head to a cross shot from D. Aquino to beat Rodger all the way.

The Club still had some attack left and during one of their raids "A. V." handled and Elliott scored from the penalty spot. The Recreio, however, retaliated by scoring another goal, following a brilliant movement between Gomes and B. Gosano, the latter rounding Sterling to send in a shot which Rodger never saw. A moment later the move was repeated, but R. Gosano shot wildly over. In the closing stages of the game V. Marques handled inside the area, and Howe converted from the spot kick.

Club:—Rodger; Sterling, Strangor; Robertson, Forrow, Gamble; Fowler, Elliott, Howe, Hill and Bickford.

Recreio:—E. Marques; A. V. Gosano; Bowen Silva Netto, Beltrao, E. Marques; Aquino, Delgado, B. Gosano, Gomes and Alves.

"THE YOUNG IDEA"

Packed Audience For Last Night

MAJ.-GEN. BORRETT AND PARTY PRESENT

The final performance of "The Young Idea" by the Hong Kong A.D.C. at the China Fleet Club Theatre took place last night in the presence of a packed house, which included, H.E. Major-Gen. O. C. Borrett and party.

Scenes of enthusiasm were witnessed at the conclusion of the evening, the curtain having to be raised again and again before the audience would consent to disperse. The ladies of the company were the recipients of an immense number of bouquets, which temporarily turned the stage into a garden of flowers.

CRAIGENGOWER WHIST DRIVE

The fortnightly whist drive of the Craigenower Cricket Club took place last night in the Club room. The winners were: (ladies), Mrs. Arnold and Mrs. Kidgell; (gentlemen) Mr. Harper and Mr. Brerley. Mr. H. Beer was in charge of the function.

many travelled by the s.s. Tien Yat and the s.s. Lee Hing.

From 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. the wharf was crowded with passengers, many of whom were left behind owing to the fact that all berths had been booked.

From Monday last the Kowloon Canton Railway has run special trains to Canton at 8.03 a.m., before the usual express.



Lady Borrett inspecting scouts at Flagstaff House yesterday. (King's Studio).

RACING

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Mr. Pih, knowing Tiny Star's reputation for sluggishness, took him out in the lead and attempted to hold him there; setting a very slow pace for the run in while he was about it. Wadebridge was on his tail throughout, and the manner in which he allowed Bistre, the second favourite, to pass him after the Rock and came back in the home straight stamped Mr. Butler as the coming rider at the Valley. Tiny Star filled the minor position with Partnership fourth. Racing Boy and Seventeenth of September came nowhere.

Only 10 out of 541 "double" tickets were on Wadebridge.

Philanderer Pays \$50

Mr. Deitz provided another surprise in the Tai-Mo-Shan Handicap when he rode Philanderer into first place, two lengths ahead of Belmont Star, third favourite, after setting a very poor start. Philanderer paid \$50 for a win.

Belmont Star was given a flying start by Mr. Butler, but lacked finish and was passed 50 yards from the post. Mr. Frost secured third place on King's Parade, while Great Hall was fourth.

Solar Star, the favourite, finished nowhere and Boxing Eve, the second favourite, refused to run, never leaving the starting gate.

Runaway Tactics

Mr. Tang Man Wa attempted a runaway on High Principle in the Novices' race, and very nearly succeeded, the favourite being passed over the last 10 yards by Valley View (Mr. W. H. Choy).

Sci-fa (Mr. H. A. Botelho) filled the third place with Lion-Hunter fourth. The Deemster, the second favourite, was nowhere in the picture.

Two backers linked Valley View and Wadebridge in the "daily double," and were rewarded with \$1,190.20 each.

Soldier of Britain Fails

Herod did not accept in the Mount Parker Handicap which saw Soldier of Britain (Mr. Deitz) again go to the post a warm favourite and again fail miserably.

King's Justice (Mr. Butler) led almost the whole way, being passed for about 20 yards by Soldier of Britain just before the Rock.

Had Cossack's Beauty been kept nearer the leaders by Mr. Liang in the earlier stages of the race he would have won. As it was he was beaten by a length after a strong finish. Soldier of Britain finished up poorly in third position.

Oak Bay's Success

The first instance during the Meeting of a favourite coming home first was provided when Mr. Frost piloted Oak Bay to a length win over Rose-Queen (Mr. P. Botelho).

Mr. Frost did not go out in front as expected, being contented to lie third until after passing the Rock, when he brought Oak Bay through with ease. Rose-Queen challenged strongly in the home stretch, while Macaroni occupied third place. King's Bounty, which had been up in the lead with King's Fancy in the earlier stages of the race, took fourth position in a fast race—1:27.2, two and one-fifth seconds outside Apollo's track record for six furlongs.

"Soldier" Ponies Triumph

Mr. Grayburn's Ythan was again beaten by a head, for the third time in succession, when Mr. Deitz brought Soldier of Victory in for a surprise win, which paid \$36.00, in the Mount Cough Plate.

Soldier of Peace (Mr. Pih) was third and Flybysnight fourth. Tammy third and Flybysnight fourth. Tammy third and Flybysnight fourth. Tammy third and Flybysnight fourth.

MANCHUKUO RULER VISITS JAPAN

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As they surveyed the scene of splendour before them, the thoughts of many of those present turned back three years ago to the time when plain Mr. Henry Puyi, once ruler of the Chinese Empire, slipped away as a fugitive from Tientsin to embark on a Japanese destroyer for Manchuria, there to assume later the post of ruler of the newly-founded Empire of Manchukuo.

After Prince Chichibu had presented Baron Gonsuka Hayashi, former Ambassador to Great Britain, and the other members of the Reception Committee, the Emperor Kang-te and his suite, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and his staff, disembarked at 10.20 a.m.

RECEPTION AT WHARF

The Emperor Kang-te, who was wearing the uniform of Generalissimo of the Manchukuo Army, was welcomed at the landing-stage by the Governor of Kanagawa Prefecture, the Mayor of Yokohama, Admiral Nobunasa Suetsugu, Commander-in-Chief of the Yokosuka Naval Base, and other notables.

After inspecting the guard of honour, which consisted of a battalion of the Imperial Guards and a naval detachment, the Emperor of Manchukuo, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and their brilliant suites, boarded a special train which, decked with the Rising Sun and five-barred Manchukuo flags, was waiting on the jetty to convey the large party over the short distance of 20 miles to Tokyo Central Station.

As the train drew away "Banzais" echoed and re-echoed from the tens of thousands of patriotic flag-waving spectators who had been watching the proceedings with great interest at a safe distance, under the vigilant eyes of thousands of police, on the *qui vive* to prevent any disorder.

The short run to Tokyo Central Station was made, without incident, in less than half-an-hour.

IMPERIAL GREETING

On the main platform there, surrounded by a brilliant staff, the Emperor of Japan, wearing the uniform of Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Army, was waiting to welcome his Imperial visitor.

Among those present were Prince Takamatsu, younger brother of the Emperor Hirohito; Field-Marshal Prince Kanin, Chief of the Imperial General Staff; several other Princes of the Blood; the Premier, Admiral Okada, and the other Cabinet Ministers; Baron Ikki, President of the Privy Council; Count Makino, Lord Keeper of the Privy Seal; Viscount Matsudaira, Grand Master of Ceremonies; the Governor of Tokyo Prefecture; the Mayor of Tokyo and a galaxy of high military and naval officials.

Following formal introductions and a number of presentations, the Emperor of Japan returned through the densely crowded streets, amid roars of "Banzais," to the Imperial Palace, while the Emperor Kang-te, accompanied by Prince Chichibu and escorted by a squadron of Imperial lancers, proceeded in a motor-car to the Akasaka Detached Palace, where he will reside for the next nine days. Just outside the Central Station the Imperial cortege passed under a huge triumphal arch, 55 feet high and 60 feet in width, erected by the Municipality of Tokyo in honour of the distinguished visitor.

KANG-TE'S MESSAGE

Through the Minister of the Imperial Household, Mr. Shen Jui-lin, the visiting Emperor issued a very cordial message to the Japanese nation expressing his extreme pleasure in being able to visit the "beautiful and prosperous empire of his friend ally, the Emperor of Japan."

The Emperor Kang-te, better known abroad as Henry Puyi, was born in 1906. He succeeded his uncle, the ill-fated Kuang Hsu, as

ST. JOHN BRIGADE BALL

Large Gathering At Annual Function

LADY PEEL PRESENT

A large gathering attended the Annual Ball of the St. John Ambulance Association which was held in the Hong Kong Hotel last night under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency, the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.C.S.I., but who was unable to be present owing to a previous engagement. Lady Peel, however, attended, accompanied by Capt. Walter, A.D.C., and Miss Redhead.

A telegram from Mr. A. Morris, vice-President, who is temporarily absent from the Colony, was read by Sir William Shenton, the President, and was as follows: "Tender sincerest apologies for unavoidable absence. Wishing function unequalled success. Thank patronage and artists for assistance."

Three Important Events

During a lengthy speech, Dr. Moore stated that there had been three important events during the year for the Brigade. These were the passing of the St. John Ambulance Ordinance, the opening of the Haw Par Hospital at Cheung Chau by Mrs. Borrett, wife of Major-General Borrett, and the construction of the Brigade Headquarters which is now almost completed.

He went on to speak of the activities of the Brigade during the year and spoke with enthusiasm of the excellent work done by the many helpers. These included the Commissioner in Charge, Mr. Morris, District Superintendent Ralston, and the Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Langley.

Dr. Moore regretted that His Excellency was unable to attend, and took the opportunity of wishing both His Excellency and Lady Peel long life and happiness during their retirement.

An attractive programme was arranged for the evening and Surg. Lieut. Ross, Mr. Li Chor Chi, Miss A. Reynolds and Miss E. Yuen contributed materially to its success.

The following were the officials present: Hon. Sir William Shenton, President, Mr. J. Ralston, Dr. D. J. Valentine, Mr. Tang Shui Kin, M.B.E., vice-Presidents, and the Committee, Drs. Dovey, Li Shui Fan, Ip Kam Wah, Tsung Fat In, Ma Luk, Arthur Woo, Messrs. Kwok Hin Wang, E. M. Raymond, Li Chor Chi, Kwok Yau, Mrs. Valentine and the Hon. Secretary, Mrs. Langley.

Amongst others present were the Hon. Mr. Edwin and Mrs. Taylor and party, Professor Gorman and Mrs. Gorman, Lady Shenton and Miss Yvonne Shenton, Miss V. Crapnell, Miss C. Crapnell, Mr. and Mrs. Burlingham, Captain Porroek and Mrs. Porroek, Mr. Brerley, Mr. Stafford Smith and party, Mr. Williams and party, Mr. Tay Shui Kin and Mr. Tay Kong Un.

Dancing continued until a late hour.

C.R.C. TENNIS "AT HOME"

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from the majority of the Club members they would probably include lawn bowls and badminton as permanent items in their forthcoming sports programmes.

He congratulated the "A" and "B" teams on their successes and Paul, Wai-pui, the Colony champion, for having won, outright, the C. R. C. Singles' Championship trophy.

C.R.C.'s Good Record

Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, in a short speech referred to the excellent record of the C. R. C. in the tennis league. He congratulated them on the very efficient manner in which they had organised the Open Mixed Doubles Championship, and also congratulated the winners, L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock, adding that he was sorry that they were not present. On behalf of the guests, he thanked the Committee for their splendid hospitality, which was known all over the Colony.

Mr. Ng Sze-kwong then called on Lady Southern to distribute the prizes, following which she was the recipient of a bouquet of flowers from little Miss Chiu Chun-chiu, daughter of the well-known lady player.

Exhibition Tennis

In an exhibition match before Emperor of China in November, 1908, but abdicated in February, 1912.

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BOAT RACE

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The race will be umpired by the famous Oxford stroke R. C. Bourne, who was recently assisting to umpire the debates on the India Bill as Deputy Chairman of committees.

Cambridge have trained on a special brew of beer apart from the coxswain, who reduced five pounds in three weeks.

Both crews became experts at darts during training, but Cambridge pinned their faith to table tennis and Oxford to shove half-penny. Both crews went out for a minute's final spin in the morning, Cambridge going out at 10 o'clock and Oxford at 10.30.

WIND CONDITIONS

They encountered a strong headwind, the breeze coming from the South-west. The water was dead low and brilliant sunshine reigned.

Wind conditions: three-quarter headwind to the mile post; headwind from Hammersmith Bridge toorney Reach; cross bowels wind from Duke Meadows; headwind from Barnes Bridge to the finish.

Reuter.

Cambridge won the toss and chose the Surrey side.

OXFORD TAKE LEAD

The race started at 2.47 p.m. Oxford taking a slight lead with both strokes timing 38 to the minute, but after another minute's rowing Cambridge pulled up splendidly to forge a length ahead of Oxford, who spurred and reduced the margin to half a length at Beverley Brook, but Cambridge were one and a quarter lengths in the lead at the Fulham Football ground.

Cambridge led by a length at Craven Steps and increased it by half a length at Walden.

Both boats were now stroking 34 to the minute, but the Cambridge boat was travelling the faster and led by two lengths at the mile post.

CAMBRIDGE INCREASE PACE

The Oxford boat reduced the lead to one and three-quarter lengths at Crabtree, and then Cambridge made another apart, their stroke setting 32 and 30 to the minute, and they led by 2½ lengths at Harrod's and by 2½ lengths at Hammersmith Bridge.

Though both strokes were striking 32 to the minute, the Oxford crew were pulling much stronger, and had reduced the Cambridge lead to two lengths at the Mills where the crews entered choppy water at the Doves with Cambridge maintaining a two lengths' lead. Both crews were rowing strongly and Cambridge were two lengths ahead at the two miles' mark.

LIGHT BLUES' BIG LEAD

At Chiswick Eyot Cambridge were leading by 3½ lengths and at Chiswick Steps by 3½, where Cambridge were rowing 33 strokes to the minute to Oxford's 31.

They were leading by 3½ lengths at Duke's Meadows, four lengths at three miles, and five to six lengths at Devonshire Meadows.

Cambridge, rowing beautifully, were six lengths ahead at the Bull's Head and, stroking 30 to Oxford's 28 maintained that distance to Barnes Bridge and the White Hart.

Oxford made a valiant effort at

the prize distribution, M. W. Lo and Mrs. J. F. Kayll, the Colony lady tennis champion, defeated H. D. Rumjahn and Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu, the runners-up in the Mixed Doubles Championship, by 9-7, 3-6, 7-5.

H. D. Rumjahn was on the top of his form, but found Mrs. Kayll his equal in many of the rallies. A high wind made play extremely difficult throughout.

M. W. Lo Erratic

M. W. Lo was very erratic and was weak in his volleying, although he brought off several good "kills" at the net.

Mrs. Chiu Chun-chiu was very weak on her forehand with rare exceptions, but her backhand driving was beyond reproach, while she lobbed consistently well.

WEATHER CLEARS FOR THAMES CLASSIC

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The wind is, however, blowing from West at a fair strength, and apart from a stretch between Corney Reach and Barnes, the crews will encounter a three-quarter head wind or head wind for most of the way from Putney to Mortlake.

This is the eighty-seventh Inter University Boat Race. Cambridge have won 45 and Oxford 40, and on one occasion the race resulted in a dead heat.

Since the war, Oxford have only once been successful.—British Wireless Service.

the four miles where they halved the lead to three lengths, but Cambridge held them off easily and won by 4½ lengths.

The official result was: Cambridge won by 4½ lengths, time 19 minutes 48 seconds.—Reuter.

THE TWO CREWS

The following were the crews.

CAMBRIDGE	
T. R. M. Bristol (Pembroke) bow	12 4
E. A. Salinger (Jesus)	12
A. D. Kingsford (Pembroke)	12 4
J. H. C. Powell (Third Trinity)	12 7
M. F. London (Third Trinity)	12 7
D. G. Kingsford (Pembroke)	12 7
J. H. T. Wilson (Pembroke)	13 8
W. G. R. Laurie (Selwyn) stroke	13 5
J. A. Duckworth (Jesus) cox	8

OXFORD

R. Hope (New College) bow	12 1
Winson (Corpus Christi)	11 8
E. D. Romlin (University)	12 5
P. R. S. Banks (Christ Church)	12 2
D. R. B. Mynors (New College)	13
J. M. Couchman (Christ Church)	13
B. J. Selwyn (University)	11 12
A. V. Sutcliffe (Trinity) stroke	14 5
G. C. F. Bryan (Worcester) cox	7 11

TAXI PLUNGES INTO HARBOUR

Driverless Vehicle Slips Brakes

Passengerless and driverless, motor vehicle No. 16 of the Star Taxi Company, accidentally slipped its brakes and plunged into the harbour on the west side of Blake Pier last night at 10.15 o'clock.

The car was parked opposite the General Post Office in Connaught Road Central, and in the early hours of this morning was still lying in the harbour, no attempt having been made to lift it out.

LOCAL BOAT-RACE DINNER

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Sent at the main table were Sir William Peel, on his right was the Colonial Secretary, Sir Thomas Southern, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, the Vice-Chancellor of the Hong Kong University, Sir William Hornell, and Dr. M. O. Pfister, while on his left were seated the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, the Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith, Mr. J. K. Bonfield, and Mr. D. W. Tratman.

The following were also present: Mr. Duncan McNeill, Mr. F. A. Joseph, the Rev. G. R. S. Updell, Mr. L. E. N. Ryan, the Rev. N. W. Halward, Mr. J. Barrow, Mr. R. I. Cherrill, Mr. G. F. Sho, Mr. W. Schofield, Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen, Mr. Walton, Mr. C. O. Roberts, Mr. H. S. Lo, Mr. G. S. P. Haywood, Mr. R. C. Lee, Mr. Leo D'Almada o Castro Jnr., the Rev. L. L. Nash, Mr. G. R. Sayer, Professor L. T. Bido, Dr. Y. S. Wan, the Rev. H. W. Beines, Mr. G. Herklots, Mr. G. York, Mr. L. B. Holmes, Mr. D. W. Morley, Mr. H. W. Lee, Mr. L. H. Yates, Mr. D. F. Davies, Mr. L. F. Fung, Mr. H. S. Mok, Mr. H. G. Wallington, Mr. J. G. Piller, Mr. C. Drago and Major E. L. Withington.

His Excellency the Governor proposed the toast of His Majesty the King at a dinner which was noteworthy for the absence of speeches. Special facilities for listening in to the boat-race relay were made and a radio extension was laid from the Broadcasting Office to the Dining Room.

CANTONESE HONOUR THEIR ANCESTORS

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Worship of ancestors is encouraged by the Government authorities here, who, in addition to proclaiming a holiday today have detailed troops for the protection of the worshippers. Ancestral worship is in harmony with the revival of the ancient moral and virtuous principles as sponsored by General Chen Ching-fang and his brother, Mr. Chen Wai-chow, director of the Salt Transportation Bureau.

The Ching Ming festival was proscribed in Canton some years ago, but now the movement to restore respect for superiors and those in high places is in full swing.

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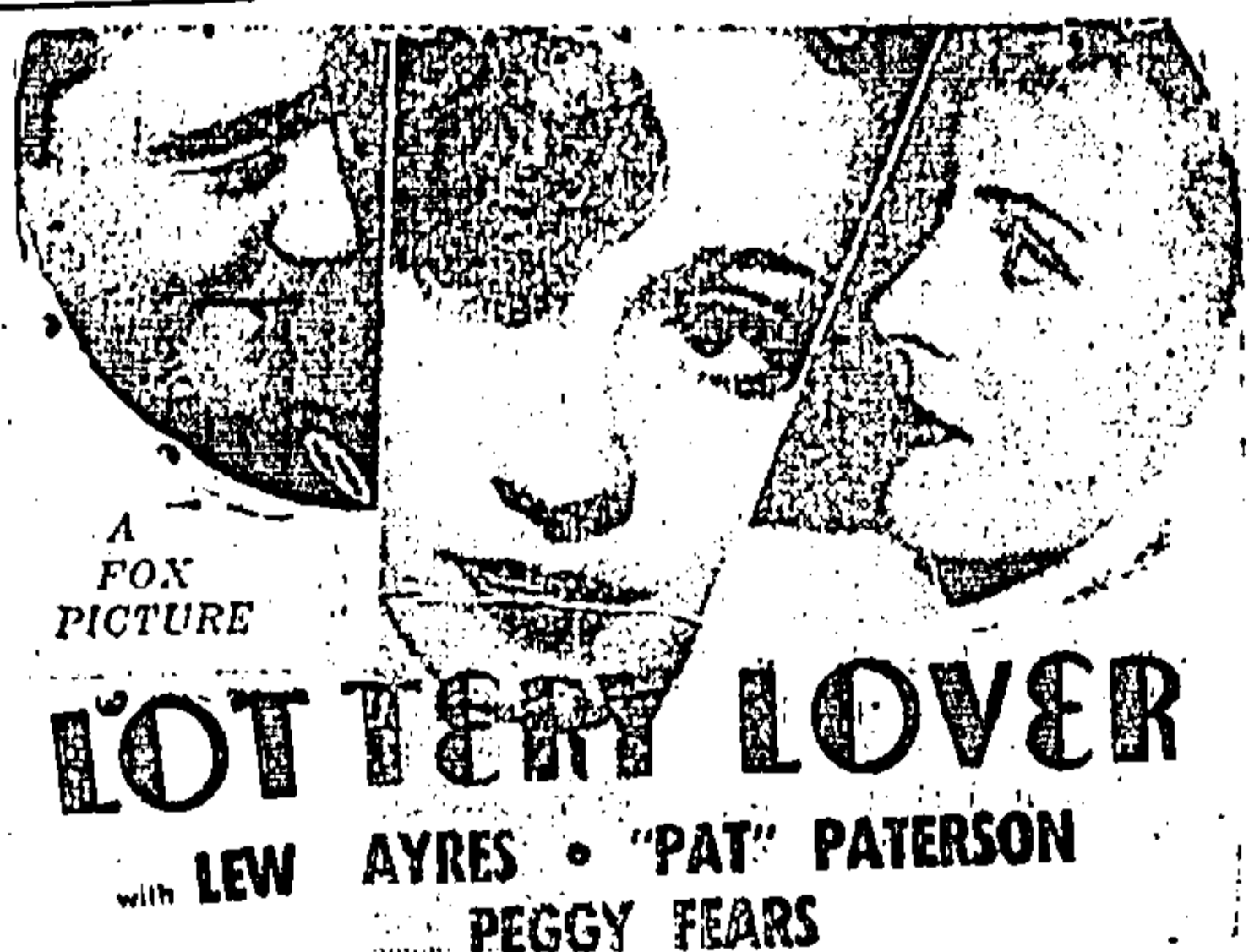


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THE PHILOSOPHERS OF CHINA

CONFUCIUS, MENCIOUS AND LAO TSE

INFLUENCE OF BUDDHISM ON CHINESE THOUGHT

(By Phyllis Juby)

Part II.

THE discussions in the Confucian schools helped greatly in the development of new ideas. Mencius believed in the inherent goodness of human nature, man only needing his nature cultivated in order to turn towards good. Sun Kuang believed man to have no natural aptitude for good; he can only become righteous by practising the rules of morality. But Mencius declared that for whatever evil man may commit, his nature can in nowise be blamed, rather the circumstances in which the individuals in question have been situated. Confucius himself taught that man is born good, and that he becomes evil only by contact with evil surroundings.

Another question was much debated at this time, arising from the rival statements of two almost contemporary philosophers, Mo Ti and Yang Chu. The former taught a system of mutual and consequently universal love as a cure for misgovernment and social disorders. But beyond pointing out his truth he offered little advice as to how to attain such a state. The doctrine of Yang Chu is still vastly popular in the present day—"each man for himself." On the strength of these diametrically opposed doctrines, Mencius declared that neither the "all" or the "nothing" view was sound; a middle course was the only one—the rather too comfortable Doctrine of the Mean.

Two Principles From One

A so-called Confucian theory, because it cannot be assured that Confucius ever entertained the idea, is that there came into existence, spontaneously, a principle, which resolved itself into two principles of entirely opposed

characters. One represented the positive; light, heat, masculinity; the other, the negative; darkness, cold, femininity. The interaction of these two principles produced the five elements and Nature as we see it was easily developed. This was probably a development from the very old belief.

Chuang Tzu, a famous philosopher of the fourth century B. C., expressed himself thus on the subject: "If there is existence, there must have been non-existence. And if there was a time when nothing existed, then there must have been a time before that, when even nothing did not exist. Then when nothing came into existence, could one really say its belonged to existence or non-existence?" He was answered by numerous sophisms after the Greek manner.

Chuang Tzu was, however, of the Taoist school, teaching a philosophy of nature. Its fundamental principle, Tao, literally "The Way," was not, as with Confucius, the way of man, but of the spontaneous, the first and highest cosmic force. It is purposeful, all-powerful and supremely good. All is transitional; the great principle evolves all existing things, and is irresistible and good—as long as it is untroubled by human interference. Man enjoys the capacity to name things, fixing empty images and creating phantom words of dangerous possibilities. He then becomes entangled in passing things and is unhappy because he impedes the natural flow of spontaneous events. A back-to-nature theory; man, uninterfering, borne along a great current of events, the individual remaining an objective onlooker, aloof from the struggles of life and making no endeavour to 'improve' the lot of

Where Will It All End?

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for him, losing all his money like that. There was something strange about the way he walked—under the stress of emotion. Something familiar about it too—that quick march, those long steps, that turn, and then again those sharp staccato steps.

This was something Elsa knew—the sonries outside the Palace. Her whole childhood came back to her—the hours she had spent watching the soldiers and thinking of 'bettering herself.'

And so everything she had done had been to no purpose: the shop where she had sold hats no one wanted; the stage she had trodden so wearily and unsuccessfully; the night clubs where she had danced so desperately in the hope of being seen by someone who would fall in love with her.

She had married Claude—a common soldier... Where had it all ended? The question struck Elsa's mind again, and this time there was an answer: "Right back at the beginning."

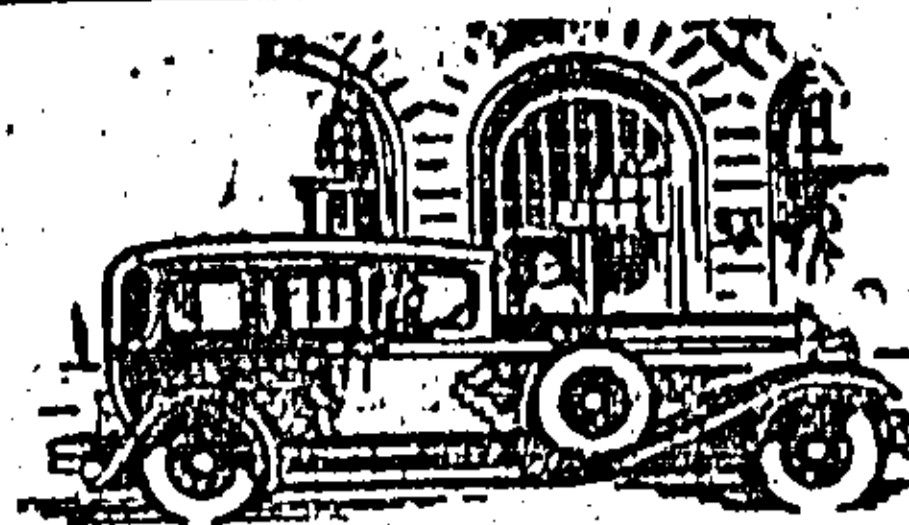
Man's desires must not be awakened by knowledge, but rather kept in a state of contented apathy.

Universal Love

Another school at this time advocated a universal love for one's fellow-men, without respect of persons. Obedience to a principle was, however, the motive and not a natural instinct. There was a spirit of religious asceticism, with a sombre and forceful austerity. The dogmas of the Christian church have points in common with these ancient Taoist doctrines.

This period was rich in intellectual achievement. The individual emerged and the philosophers worked for the progress of new ideas. Confucius helped to bring knowledge from the nobility to the people themselves; and his 'overman' is a purely ethical ideal, no longer applying to noble birth. He delighted in teaching letters, ethics, devotion to the truth.

By the time of the Han Dynasty (202 B. C.—221 A. D.), owing to various external influences, the mentality of the people had become more primitive than at the end of the Chou period. A cre-



MOTERING NOTES

SAFETY GEAR-BOX

New Humber "Extra" Introduced

OPTIONAL INNOVATION

An invention conceived before the war and brought to fruition only after years of intensive research and experiment and countless disappointments was introduced to the public by Lt.-Col. J. A. Cole, chairman of the Humber Company, at a lunch at the Dorchester Hotel, Park-lane, last month.

It is the de Normanville safety gear-box, which is now being fitted as an optional extra on the chief Humber models. A Humber car with caravan attached has recently been put through an arduous testing in the sands of the Sahara, and it and the gear-box emerged triumphant.

The gear is changed by moving a lever on the steering wheel while the clutch, a normal one, is held out. It is claimed that a positive change without slip can be made with great speed and certainly. Reverse, neutral, and four speeds are given in the box, and in addition free-wheeling or coasting, which needs no use of the clutch except when returning to top speed.

dulous belief in miracles had set in. Magicians and sorcerers and, indeed, the whole system of necromancy, thrived in the Taoist beliefs. Taoism was transformed and mysticised.

Changing Interpretations

This magic not only allied itself with Taoist philosophy but discovered points of contact with Confucianism as well, by re-interpreting the Doctrine of the Mean and the Book of Changes. Confucianism had, too, developed a ritualistic doctrine, concerned chiefly

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NEW FORD V-8

Striking Body Lines Distinctly Modern

EASE CONTROL INCREASED

The new car also embodies a combination of major engineering developments aimed at increased riding comfort—which has been called the "centerpoise" ride.

Numerous improvements in chassis design to provide increased ease of control are also included. Two important improvements have been made in the Ford V-8 engine, of which more than 1,300,000 are now on the road.

In addition Ford has developed a new type of body—the touring sedan, with unusually sleek lines and embodying a fitted rear trunk compartment integral with the body.

Safety Glass Throughout

Safety glass is standard equipment not only in windshields, but also in all doors and windows in all body types.

The new car marks the present culmination of developments begun by Ford three years ago at the time of the announcement of the V-8 engine. In the three years intervening, Ford has been engaged in the development of a combination of engineering improvements aimed at providing a degree of riding comfort and ease of control comparable with the performance of the engine itself. The new body designs are further evidence of the progress of Ford engineering.

In appearance, the new cars are characterised by a freshness of conception utilising flowing curves to carry you the modern motif, plus a new treatment of interior and appointments which sound an entirely new note in Ford body styling.

BRITISH MOTORCAR INDUSTRY

Great Progress Made In 1934

Taken as a whole, the British motor industry had a most successful year of business in 1934, states the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders, Limited. During the 12 months to September 30 there was a substantial increase month by month in the production of both private and commercial vehicles; 256,866 private motor-cars were manufactured as against 220,779 in the previous 12 months, and 85,633 commercial vehicles as against 65,508.

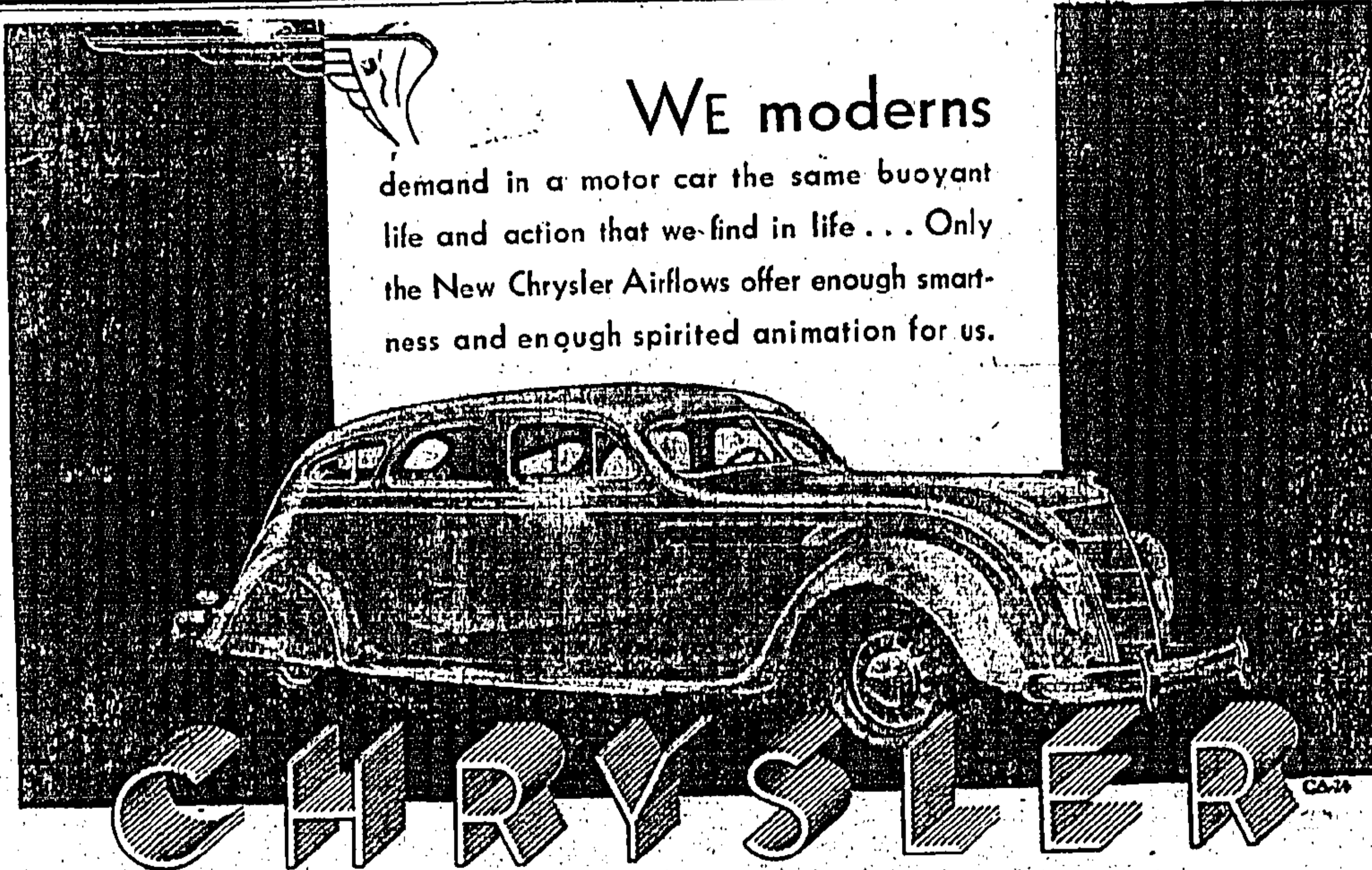
Although the export figures increased during the year, motor manufacturers were far from satisfied. Much remained to be done. In the past 12 months 45,253 private cars were exported as against 41,359 in the previous 12 months, and 12,260 commercial vehicles, as against 9,877, representing an increase of over £1,000,000 in value. The increase had taken place chiefly in New Zealand and Australia, where the popularity of British vehicles of all kinds was steadily gaining ground.

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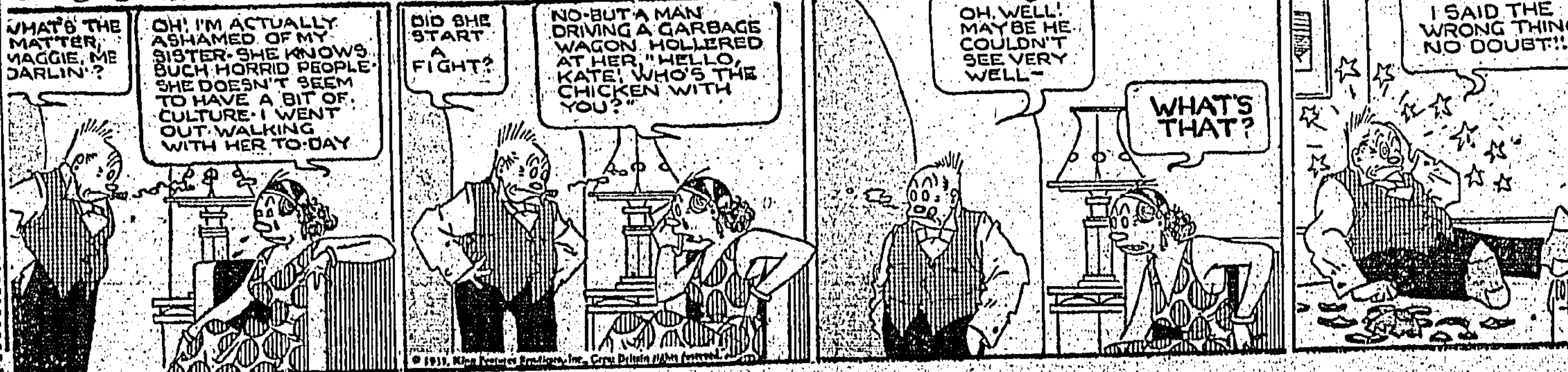
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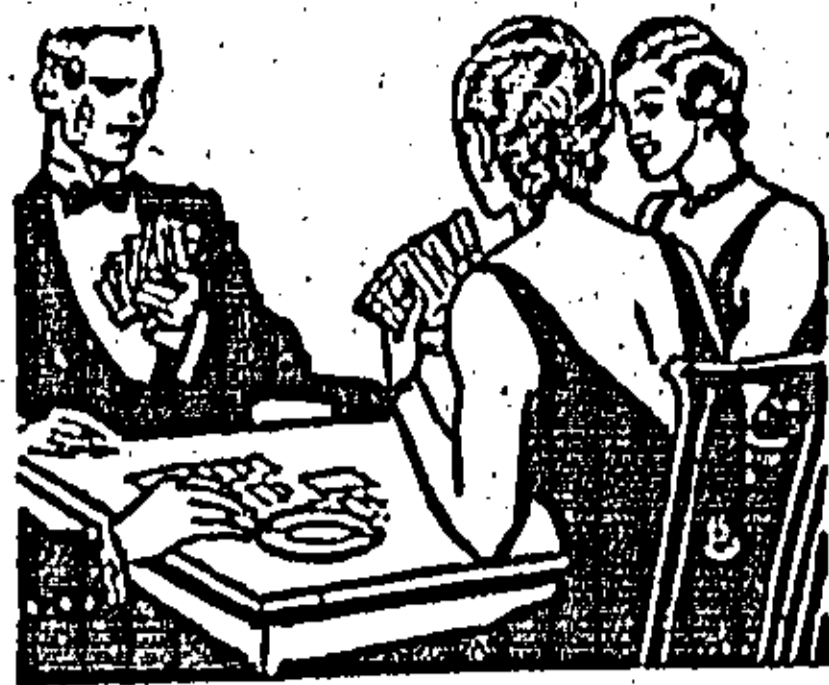
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MOTERING THE CHANNEL

GERMAN IS CONFIDENT OF SUCCESS

Car To Travel Over Land And Water

PROGRAMME MAPPED OUT

Here Jacob Baulig, of Coblenz, wishes to be the first man to motor from Germany to England without going in a ship.

He has invented a car which, he claims, will travel equally well on land and water. On May 1 he intends to set out from Coblenz on a visit to England.

He will go by road as far as Calais. There he will drive into the sea, and recent tests of the seaworthiness of his "car" at Cuxhaven have convinced him that he will be able to reach Dover safely.

Given good weather conditions, Herr Baulig expects to effect the crossing in about seven hours. No ship will accompany him across. After a visit to London he will make a tour through a number of English towns, by road and by river. He intends to make his return journey by way of the North Sea, Heligoland and Bremen.

102 NOT OUT — AND FEARS OLD AGE

Australian Woman To Become U.S. Citizen

Pittsburg (U.S.A.) — At the age of 102, Miss Sophia Zol, an Australian woman who has lived for the past 37 years in the United States, fears that old age is coming upon her.

Yet she claims that she can "still break a stout table-top with her naturalisation papers as an American." She is going to take out her citizenship because officials have told her that she may then become eligible for an old age pension when she is 105.

"NUDIST PRISONER"

Dangerous Gaol-Breaker In Brisbane Gaol

Because he is regarded as the most dangerous "gaol-breaker" in Australia, a prisoner at the Boggerood gaol, Brisbane, is compelled to eat all his meals completely naked.

Prison wardens cannot trust him not to try and escape if he has any clothes on—so they take them off. Every day he and his cell are subjected to a search. A hacksaw and razor blades have been found. The prisoner, Alfred Sleeth, has escaped from two prisons, has twice escaped from the police after being arrested, and has made one unsuccessful attempt to break out of his present prison.

CHARLES LAUGHTON AS A GHOST

Mr. Charles Laughton, the British film actor, thinks that "Hollywood is a bit mad but," he added, "I like it. It is a perfect mummer's home. If you weren't a little bit mad you wouldn't be there."

With these parting words, Mr. Laughton sailed from New York for London.

He hinted at what he would be doing when he is next working in England.

"It is a picture to be made next June with the French director Rene Clair," he said. "I understand I shall have the part of a ghost. Its present title is 'Str Tristram Goes West.'"

Lead of the 6th best card of a suit headed by the Ace completely deceived the declarer.

Of course—an unconventional opening lead may also deceive your partner—but desperate diseases require desperate remedies, and on occasions you must depart from the ordinary routine and take a risk.

CRIME COSTS AMERICA OVER \$2,400,000,000 A YEAR

Dwight Green Makes Report

Los Angeles (Cal.). — Crime is costing the citizens of the United States more than \$2,400,000,000 a year, far more than is required to operate all the functions of the Government. This statement was made by Mr. Dwight Green, United States Federal Prosecutor, the man who sent Al Capone to prison, in a speech at a business men's lunch at Chicago.

"For the past few years the criminals of this country have virtually declared war on organized government," the Federal Prosecutor continued.

THE PHILOSOPHERS OF CHINA

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with the elaboration of ceremonies. In had, in short, gone the way of an organised religion. "The Spring and Autumn Annals" of Confucius was interpreted in accordance with the Taoist Yin and Yang principles.

Confucianism was still the most popular philosophy of life, although the doctrines were no longer pure Confucianism. But alone the theistic doctrine could not be absorbed into Confucianism. In Christianity it at least retained the semblance of authenticity, but in the Eastern philosophy it perished. The East could not free itself from the social basis of the family system; Confucianism was then an inevitable triumph.

Buddhism was introduced into China in the Han dynasty; and the success of its doctrines added to its prestige rather than to that of the Chinese civilisation. The struggle between Buddhism and Taoism lasted until the Sung dynasty (960—1279 A. D.), which dynasty brought to China an end and a beginning. The existing culture as a whole was examined and new conclusions made. It is China's "Age of Philosophy." The time had come, at last, for the assimilation of Buddhism, an alien influence. It was possible only by amalgamation with Confucianism and Taoism.

Buddhist Influences

Study circles grew up round distinguished scholars: the Buddhist monastic idea played a part, but it was in keeping with an ancient Confucian idea, too, for Confucius had gathered round him a school of this nature. The "Book of Changes" supplied the foundation for Neo-Confucianism. Influences were added from the Buddhist School of Meditation in which wisdom was attained by stillness and concentration. This Confucianism was strongly influenced by both Buddhism and Taoism. Their idea of matter corresponded to the Taoist "Nothingness" and the Buddhist "Void." A concentration of matter produces objects of sense, another expansion and it falls back into the great void. These events are regulated by the spirit, and the various combinations of being arise from the co-existence of matter and spirit. This was an exalted philosophy: as a spirit or rational being man is one with the fundamental principles of heaven and earth; yet he must look on even the poorest and most destitute as a brother dependent on his help. This was very much after the idea of Christian charity; but even at this time their reasoning never seemed to reach the fundamental question as to why there should be those very poor and destitute.

The two lines of their thought were otherwise admirable. One was concerned with moral education, developing serious-mindedness and reverence; the other was in the field of science, with perfection of knowledge as the goal. Independent systems developed from these schools; a contemplative school of intuitive philosophy and a scientific school, devoted to research and the study of works of antiquity. The Chinese have venerated their learning as the touchstone of life and power—the written character for the word "learning" is regarded as almost sacred.

At this time the cultural and spiritual influences of China united: the old China ended and the new is yet on its way; its evolution is now a part of all humanity.

(THE END)

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ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION			SECOND DIVISION		
Arsenal	2	Chelsea	2	Blackpool	1
Birmingham	3	Preston	2	Bradford	2
Blackburn	4	Wolves	2	Brentford	1
Leeds	0	Leicester	2	Bury	1
Liverpool	1	Derby	3	Fulham	2
Manchester C.	2	Everton	2	Hull	1
Mid'boro	2	Huddersfield	1	Newcastle	1
Portsmouth	4	Aston Villa	1	Norwich	2
Wed'nay	4	Tottenham	0	Notts	2
Stoke	0	Grimaby	0	Plym'th	1
W. Brom	1	Sunderland	1	West Ham	1

Table To Date

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Arsenal	35	19	11	6	99	41	49
Sunderland	34	17	11	6	73	38	46
Manchester C.	35	19	4	12	66	42	42
Wednesday	30	17	9	10	63	54	43
Everton	35	16	10	11	70	71	40
Liverpool	35	16	5	13	66	75	39
Derby	35	15	8	12	67	55	38
Grimaby	35	15	9	13	67	55	37
Stoke	35	16	5	15	61	51	37
West Brom.	35	16	7	4	75	74	37
Preston	35	12	10	15	60	55	34
Chelsea	30	14	7	15	61	63	34
Aston Villa	34	13	9	12	62	69	35
Portsmouth	35	12	8	15	58	60	33
Huddersfield	37	13	7	16	66	65	33
Blackburn	37	12	10	15	64	68	34
Wolves	35	12	7	16	66	65	33
Leeds	35	10	10	16	64	83	30
Middlesbro	35	9	12	14	52	72	30
Leicester	35	12	5	19	62	64	29
Birmingham	34	11	6	17	47	67	28
Tottenham	37	8	9	20	44	85	25

Table To Date

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Brentford	36	22	8	6	77	45	52
West Ham	36	22	4	10	69	55	48
Blackpool	36	18	10	8	69	48	46
Bolton	34	21	2	12	80	42	44
Newcastle	37	20	4	13	82	60	44
Manchester U.	35	20	3	12	68	46	43
Plymouth	35	17	6	12	64	52	40
Fulham	36	14	11	11	62	50	39
Notts Forest	35	15	8	12	65	54	38
Sheff'd U.	36	13	9	14	65	54	35
Sheff'd W.	36	13	9	14	65	54	35
Hull	36	13	9	14	65	54	35
Bury	36	13	9	14	65	54	35
Burnley	35	12	9	14	62	53	33
Norwich	35	12	9	14	65	53	33
Bradford	36	9	15	12	47	54	33
Barnsley	34	10	9	15	46	70	29
Swansea	36	11	7	18	46	60	29
Port Vale	36	10	10	16	43	55	28
Bradford C.	36	10	8	18	45	68	28
Southampton	36	8	12	17	39	69	28
Southend	36	8	12	17	39	69	28
Notts County	36	8	7	21	35	78	23
Oldham	36	9	4	23	49	84	22

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND SHARE SOCCER SPOILS

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 Haggood won the toss for England, but Scotland were early prominent, Hibbs, the English captain, clearing from Duncan, the Scottish left-winger.
 Thereafter, England attacked and both Westwood, at inside-left, and Brook, the left-winger, tested Jackson.

SCOTS NEARLY SCORE
 Scotland went very near to scoring when McPhail, the inside-left, missed by inches, and Gallacher, the Scots leader, was proving a very lively handful for Barker, the England pivot, but Gurney, the England leader, was held by Simpson, the Scots' centre-half.
 The Napier and Walker partnership on the Scottish right wing provided the outstanding feature of the game, giving an excellent display.
 Walker, the Scotland leader, missed scoring by inches with a great drive from 30 yards. Scotland continued to press and during a thrilling melee in the England goalmouth McPhail, Gallacher, and Napier all missed scoring chances.
 Eventually Duncan netted just before the interval from Napier's corner kick.
 The England defence was not so steady as Scotland's, Male being particularly weak and frequently mis-kicking.
 The second half opened in whirlwind manner, Walker swirling and dribbling through the entire defence before passing inside, but Hibbs threw himself at Gallacher's feet to prevent a score. Scotland was attacking furiously and forced two successive corners, from the last of which Duncan headed in from Napier's kick.

FINAL STANDINGS

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts
England	3	2	1	0	6	3	4
Scotland	3	2	1	0	6	4	4
Ireland	3	1	2	0	4	2	2
Wales	3	1	2	0	5	8	2

The following have been the results of matches between Scotland and England for the past 10 years:—

Date	Scotland	England
1924-25	Scotland 1-0	
1925-26	Scotland 1-0	
1926-27	England 2-1	
1927-28	Scotland 5-1	
1928-29	Scotland 1-0	
1929-30	England 5-2	
1930-31	Scotland 2-0	
1931-32	England 3-0	
1932-33	Scotland 2-0	
1933-34	England 3-0	
1934-35	Scotland 2-0	

The teams were:—
 England:—Hibbs (Birmingham); Male (Arsenal) and Haggood (Arsenal); Britton (Everton), Barker (Derby) and Alsford (Tottenham); Geldard (Everton); Bas'la (Arsenal); Gurney (Sunderland), Westwood (Bolton), and Brook (Manchester City).
 Scotland:—Jackson (Chelsea); Anderson (Hearts) and Cummings (Partick); Massie (Hearts), Simpson (Rangers) and Brown (Rangers); Napier (Colt); Walker (Hearts); Gallacher (Derby); McPhail (Rangers), and Duncan (Derby).

MANCHUKUO RULER VISITS JAPAN

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 In 1917 the Tartar General Chang, Haun captured Peking and restored Pu Yi, but he only reigned for a fortnight. In 1924 Pu Yi escaped from virtual imprisonment in the Winter Palace, Peking, and succeeded in reaching Tientsin, where he resided in the Japanese Consession until the end of 1931. He left Tientsin secretly early in 1932 and, after some weeks, appeared in Dalen. In March, 1932, under Japanese protection, he proceeded to Hsinking (Changchun) and assumed office as Chief Executive of the Manchukuo Government. Two years later he was enthroned as Kang-te, Emperor of Manchukuo.

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS
 The official programme for Emperor Kang-te's stay in Japan, as issued by the Imperial Household Department, is as follows:—
 April 7. The Emperor will call on the Empress Dowager at the Omiya Palace, and will visit the Meiji Shrine, the Yasukuni Military Shrine and the Saitoku Memorial Art Gallery. In the evening he will give a dinner for members of the Japanese Imperial Family.
 April 8.—He will receive Japanese notables in audience at the Akasaka Detached Palace, and in the evening will attend a dinner to be given by the Japanese Cabinet. A reception will be held at the Manchukuo Legation.
 April 9.—He will proceed to the Yoyogi Parade Ground, in company with Prince Chichibu, and will inspect troops at a review to be held in his honour jointly with the Japanese Emperor. Emperor Kang-te will give a dinner in the evening for the members of the Cabinet.
 April 10.—Undecided.
 April 11.—Emperor Kang-te will visit the Imperial Mausoleum at Asakawa.
 April 12.—No special programme.
 April 13.—The Imperial guest will visit the Confucius Temple in Ochiyanomizu and later the Military Hospital.

AIR RESISTANCE IN AEROPLANES

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 Lord Londonderry said he was told, and sincerely hoped it was true, that if they could succeed, by means of the tunnel, in reducing the resistance of aircraft by one-tenth of its amount, they would save no less than £40,000 a year in the petrol bill of the Royal Air Force. On the other hand, they could achieve substantially higher air speeds, with a corresponding increase in the fighting efficiency of the service.
 The tunnel building, which is a massive steel and concrete structure, was described by the Air Minister as a temple of the wind. The air stream is induced by a huge six-bladed fan 30 feet in diameter, driven by a 2,000 horse power electric motor—British Wireless Service.

THE POST OFFICE SAVINGS BANK RECORD YEAR FOR DEPOSITS

London, Last Night.
 Sir Kingsley Wood, the Postmaster-General, in a speech yesterday referred to the growth of investments in the Post Office Savings Bank.
 At the end of February a balance of over £362,000,000 was held by the Post Office, which was a new record.
 There was also £182,000,000 held in the form of Government stock, bringing the total savings through the bank to £544,000,000. The total deposits during the first two months of the year were £2,000,000 and over £250,000 in new accounts were opened.—British Wireless Service.

STRESSA CONFERENCE PREPARATION

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 The Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, has not yet decided whether to go. The names of the British representatives will be announced in the House of Commons on Monday.—Reuter.

CABINET MEETING TO-MORROW

(Continued from Page 1.)
 It had been assumed that Mr. Anthony Eden, the Lord Privy Seal, would accompany Sir John Simon, but the composition of the delegation is at present uncertain.
 Mr. Eden, on his arrival late last night in London, where he was met by Sir John Simon and Mrs. Eden, said he had recovered from the effects of the air sickness from which he suffered on the flight from Prague to Cologne on Thursday. The travels have been strenuous and he is suffering from exhaustion. Mr. Eden was resting yesterday morning, but he will probably be able to meet his colleagues at Monday's special meeting of the Cabinet.—British Wireless Service.

LONDON SILVER MARKET PRICES ADVANCE

London, Last Night.
 London silver prices to-day were up 1/8 on spot and 1/16 on forward, as follows:—
 Apr. 5. Apr. 6.
 25-5/16 28-7/16
 Spot 28-7/16 28-1/2
 Forward
 The London on New York cross-rate at closing to-day was \$-U.S.\$4.8487, as compared with \$-U.S.\$4.8537 at closing yesterday.
 Our own correspondent.
 London, last night.—Sterling on New York was quoted at \$-U.S.\$4.84%, and on Paris at 73½, while Gold was 144/1d. Silver prices were, spot 28-7/16, and forward 28½.—British Wireless Service.

PUBLIC ENEMY NO. 1 IN CORPS

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 As long ago as February 28 Hamilton was reported to have been cornered at Peeltown, Texas, and his immediate arrest was expected. A Reuter's message of that date from Terrell, Texas, stated:—Raymond Hamilton, the current "Public Enemy No. 1" and the convicted murderer who escaped the death cell last summer, has been cornered like a rat at Peeltown. 25 miles from Terrell.
 All available police are rushing to the scene armed with machine-guns.
 A film company has offered \$25,000 for the exclusive rights of filming the shooting of Hamilton, but the officials are unable, legally, to accept the offer.
 Hamilton recently raided the National Guard armoury at Beaumont, Texas, escaping with eight rifles and hundreds of rounds of ammunition.
 A few days ago he shot his way out of a police ambush, although his car was riddled with bullets.

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